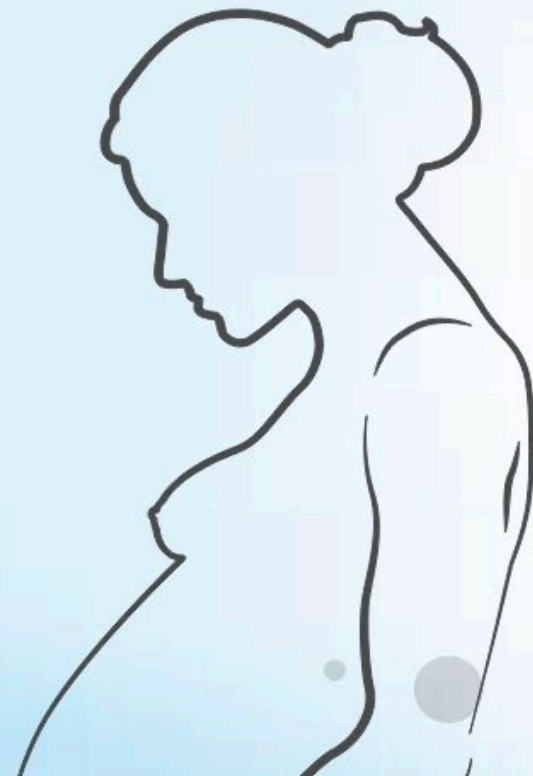


DIABETES PREGNANCY and TECHNOLOGY in Lombardy - 2024



DIABETE PRE-GESTAZIONALE MONITORAGGIO CLINICO-ECOGRAFICO E TIMING PARTO

Stefania Triunfo, MD PhD

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- ✓ LIFESTYLE
- ✓ WEIGHT GAIN TARGET
- ✓ GLYCEMIC TARGET



FETO

- ✓ PLACENTAL VASCULAR SUPPLY
- ✓ ANATOMY
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«È ben documentato che la Terapia Nutrizionale può **migliorare il controllo glicemico**, ed è **parte integrante del trattamento** e dell'autogestione del diabete»

Tre **obiettivi** della Terapia Nutrizionale

1. *Adeguate nutrizione materna e fetale*
2. *Adeguate apporto calorico, vitaminico e minerale*
3. *Controllo glicemico ottimale in assenza di chetonuria/chetonemia*

«La terapia nutrizionale deve essere **personalizzata** in relazione a abitudini alimentari, culturali, etniche, stato economico e BMI pregravidico»

«Anche in caso di obesità grave, l'utilizzo di diete drasticamente ipocaloriche è **controindicato** ridurre l'apporto calorico a **< 1500 kcal/die**»

PASTO	RIPARTIZIONE KCAL
COLAZIONE	10-15%
SPUNTINO	5-10%
PRANZO	20-30%
SPUNTINO	5-10%
CENA	30-40%
SPUNTINO bed-time	5-10%

2° trimestre: + 340 kcal/die

3° trimestre: + 450 kcal/die



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per le linee guida



Gravidanza fisiologica

Attività fisica

- **Quesito 13** • Quali sono gli effetti dell'attività fisica in gravidanza sulla salute materna e feto-neonatale?

Raccomandazioni

- ▶ I professionisti devono informare le donne in gravidanza che iniziare o continuare un'attività fisica moderata in gravidanza non è associato a eventi avversi.
- ▶ I professionisti devono informare le donne in gravidanza riguardo i potenziali pericoli di un'attività sportiva che preveda impatto fisico e possa comportare il rischio di cadute e traumi addominali e notevole sforzo fisico.
- ▶ I professionisti devono informare le donne che le immersioni subacquee in gravidanza sono risultate associate a difetti congeniti e a malattia fetale da decompressione.



Frequency: 30-40 minutes per day (**150 minutes per week**), better in the postprandial period not less than 30 minutes each time.

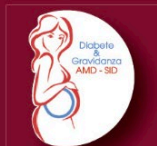
Duration of the activity should **start at 15 minutes** per target heart rate session with an **increase in time of 2 minutes per week until 30-40 minutes** is reached and then maintained.

All aerobic activity should begin with a **warm-up** and **cool-down** of 5 to 10 minutes of lower intensity.

WARM-UP:
5-10min

EXERCISE:
30-40min

COOL-DOWN:
5-10min



Attività Fisica nella Gravidanza di Donne con Diabete

Tabella 1. Controindicazioni relative ed assolute all'attività fisica in gravidanza

Relative	Absolute
Precedenti aborti spontanei	Sanguinamenti vaginali
Precedenti parti pre-termine	Rottura delle membrane
Malattie cardio-respiratorie lievi-moderate (Ipertensione, asma)	Attività contrattile prematura
Disordini alimentari o malnutrizione	Placenta previa
Gravidanza gemellare dalla 28ª settimana	Incontinenza della cervice, cerchiaggio
Obesità >40 Kg/m²	Ritardo di crescita intra-uterino
Anemia con Hb>10g/dl	Pre-eclampsia
Altre condizioni clinicamente significative di grado lieve-moderato: (Tireopatie, diabete pre-gravidico, ...)	Gravidanza multipla (>2)
	Malattie cardio-respiratorie di grado severo
	Anemia con Hb<10g/dl
	Altre condizioni clinicamente significative di grado severo: (Tireopatie, diabete pre-gravidico, ...)

Tabella 2 . Esercizio fisico nelle donne con diabete tipo 1 in gravidanza

Timing	2 ore dopo la somministrazione di un analogo rapido	8-10 h dopo la somministrazione di un analogo lento
Valutazione	< 150 mg/dl Strategia base: 15-30 g di CHO ogni 30-60 minuti di esercizio	≥250 mg/dl Rimandare la seduta, bere acqua, controllare la chetonemia, chetonuria, rivalutare la glicemia dopo 15 minuti
Glicemia		
PRIMA	Metodo semi quantitativo: 1gr di CHO/Kg peso/h esercizio moderato	
dell'		
Esercizio	Metodo quantitativo: tabella specifica per peso e tipo di attività	
Fisico		
DOPO	Controllare la glicemia al termine della seduta e nelle ore successive fino al mattino successivo per conoscere la risposta glicemica precoce e tardiva all' esercizio fisico	per programmare le successive sedute di esercizio in durata ed intensità e ridurre la terapia insulinica in risposta all'esercizio stesso Personalizzare al massimo gli adeguamenti della terapia insulinica e dell'apporto di CHO in rapporto alle variabili suddette
l'Esercizio		
Fisico		

WEIGHT GAIN
TARGETS

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Pre-pregnancy BMI	BMI (kg/m ²)	Total weight gain range (kg)	Rates of weight gain 2 nd and 3 rd trimester (kg/week)
Underweight	> 18.5	12.7–18	0.45–0.58
Normal weight	18.5–24.9	11.3–15.9	0.36–0.45
Overweight	25.0–29.9	6.8–11.3	0.22–0.32
Obese (all classes)	> 30	5–9	0.18–0.27
<i>BMI</i> body mass index			

Safety of low weight gain or weight loss in pregnancies with class 1, 2, and 3 obesity: a population-based cohort study

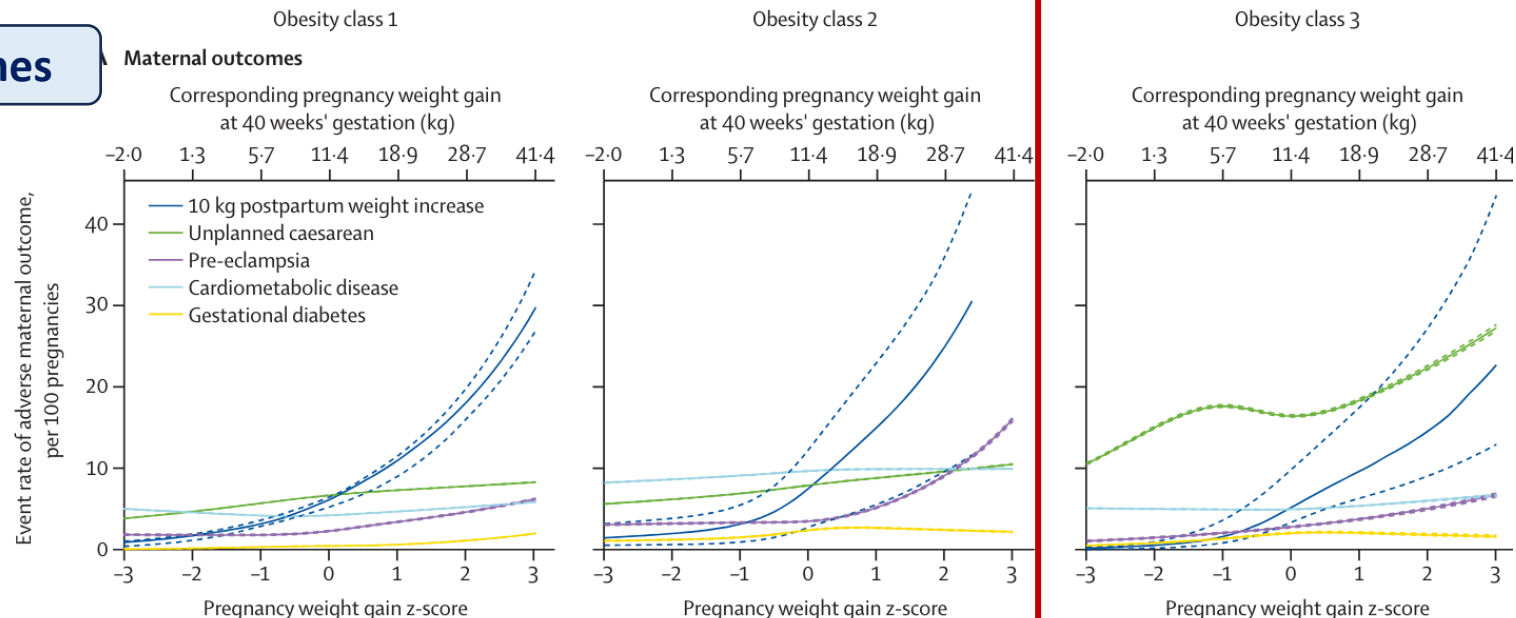
Kari Johansson, Lisa M Bodnar, Olof Stephansson, Barbara Abrams, Jennifer A Hutcheon

- **Population-based cohort study**
- **15.760 pregnancies** with obesity
- **Follow-up of 7·9 years** (IQR 5·8–9·4)
- **composite outcome inclusive of 10 outcomes**

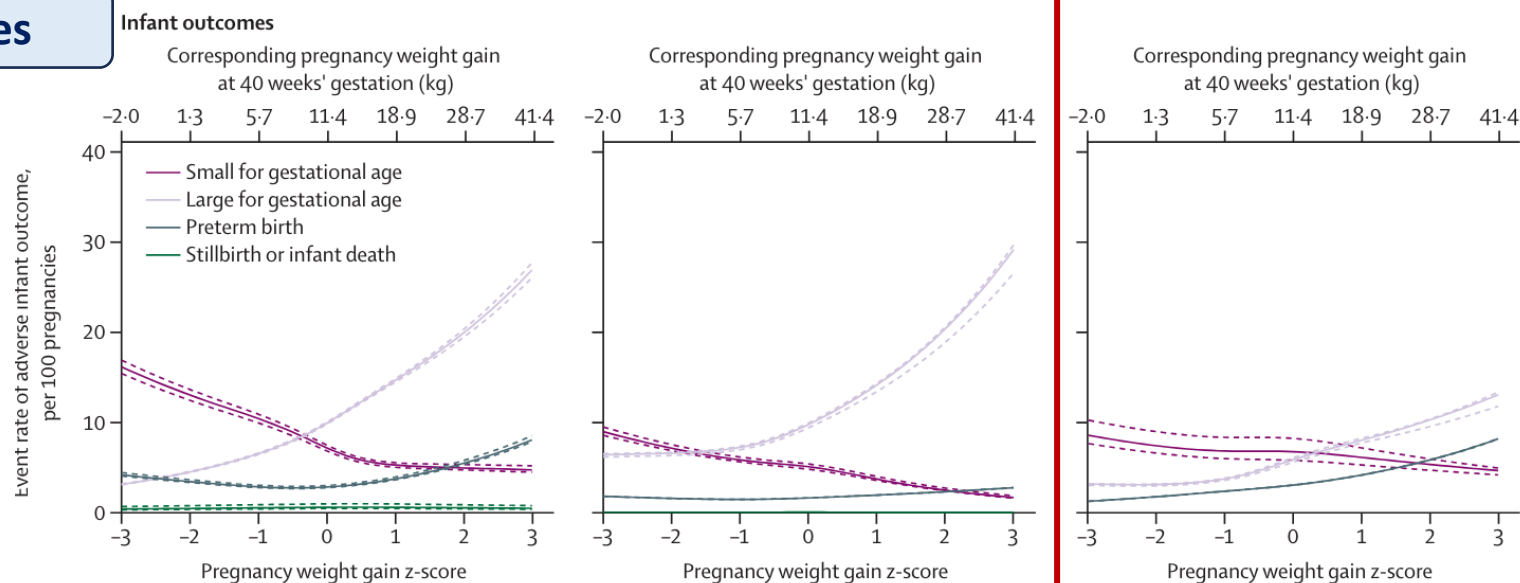
(stillbirth, infant death, large for gestational age and small for gestational age at birth, preterm birth, unplanned caesarean delivery, gestational diabetes, pre-eclampsia, excess postpartum weight retention, and new-onset longer-term maternal cardiometabolic disease after pregnancy, weighted to account for event severity)

	Obesity class 1 (n=11 667)	Obesity class 2 (n=3160)	Obesity class 3 (n=933)
Prepregnancy comorbidity			
Cardiovascular disease	837 (7·2%)	286 (9·1%)	116 (12·4%)
Diabetes	157 (1·3%)	58 (1·8%)	28 (3·0%)
Gestational age at delivery, days	278 (13)	277 (15)	277 (14)
Gestational weight gain			
Number of measurements per individual‡	5 (4–7)	6 (4–8)	6 (4–8)
Weight gain§, kg	10·7 (6·0)	8·7 (6·2)	7·2 (6·2)
Weight gain, z-score¶	0·02 (1·00)	–0·37 (1·17)	–0·65 (1·32)
Gestational weight gain based on IOM recommendations (5–9 kg)			
Below	1623 (13·9%)	786 (24·9%)	310 (33·2%)
Within	3604 (30·9%)	1040 (32·9%)	310 (33·2%)
Above	6440 (55·2%)	1334 (42·2%)	313 (33·5%)

Maternal outcomes



Infant outcomes



In pregnancies with class 3 obesity, **weight gain values below the IOM limit or weight loss** were **associated with reduced risk** of the adverse composite outcome (adjusted RR 0.81 [0.71–0.89] at weight gain z-score –2.4, or 0 kg).

Calls to lower or remove the lower limit of current IOM recommendations for pregnant women with obesity, and suggest that separate guidelines for class 3 obesity might be warranted. Johansson et al, Lancet, 2024



HbA1c:

normali o più possibile vicini alla norma (≤ 48 mmol/mol, $\leq 6,5\%$), in assenza o limitando al massimo le ipoglicemie

Profili glicemici:

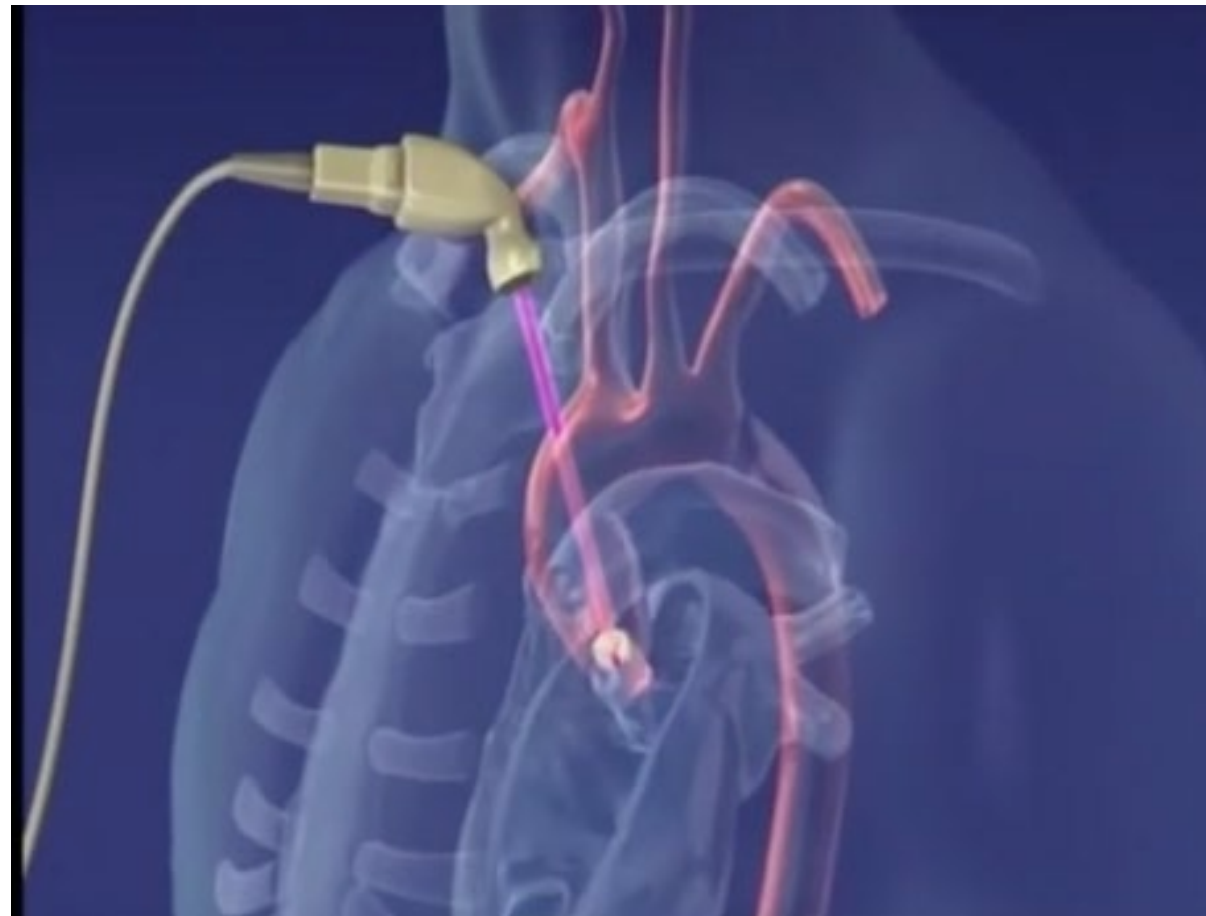
- ≤ 90 mg/dl a digiuno
- ≤ 130 mg/dl un'ora dopo i pasti
- ≤ 120 mg/dl 2 ore dopo i pasti



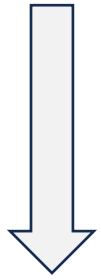
USCOM – ULTRASONIC CARDIAC OUTPUT MONITOR



- Cardiac output (CO),
- Cardiac index (CI),
- Stroke volume (SV),
- Total vascular resistance (TVR),
- Inotropy index (INO)
- Potential to kinetic energy ratio (PKR)



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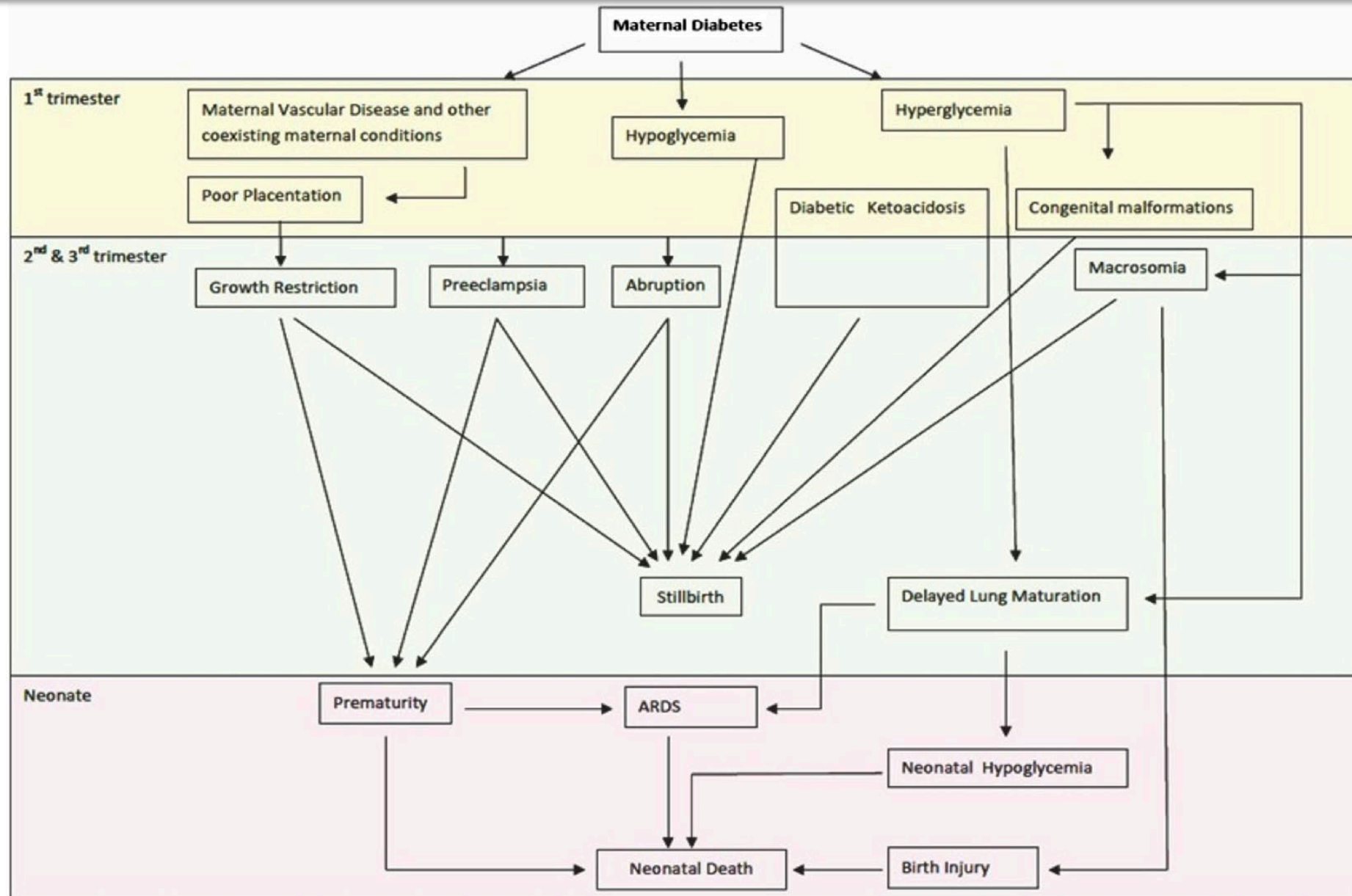


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PLACENTAL
VASCULAR
SUPPLY

TROPHOBLASTIC INVASION

- ✓ Volume expansion
- ✓ Increased substrate availability
- ✓ Reduced vascular reactivity

MATERNAL
COMPARTMENT

ADHERENCE

ENDOCRINE
SIGNALS

INCREASED
SUBSTRATE
TRANSPORTERS

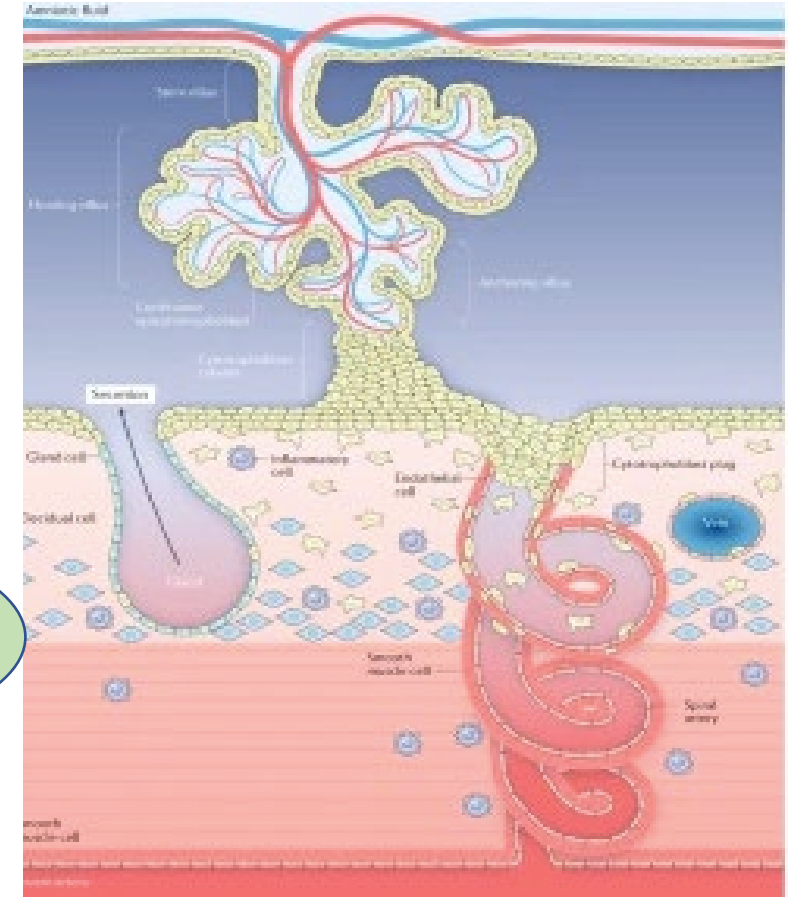
FETAL
COMPARTMENT

VILLOUS BRANCHING

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II TRIMESTER

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VELOCIMETRIA DOPPLER

MATERNAL
COMPARTMENT

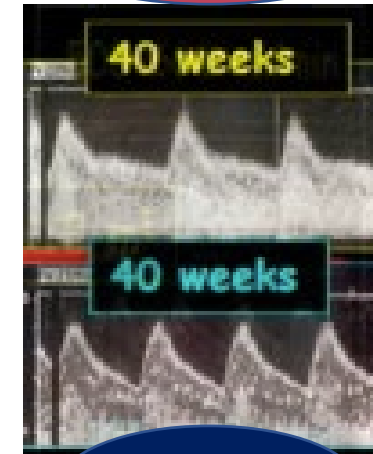


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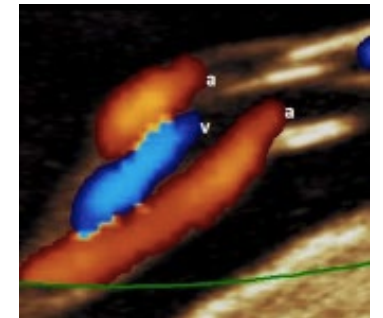
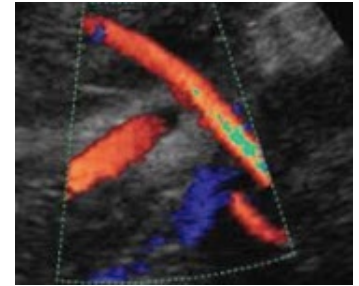


Low resistency

500-
600ml/min



12m²



FETAL
COMPARTMENT

I TRIMESTER

II TRIMESTER

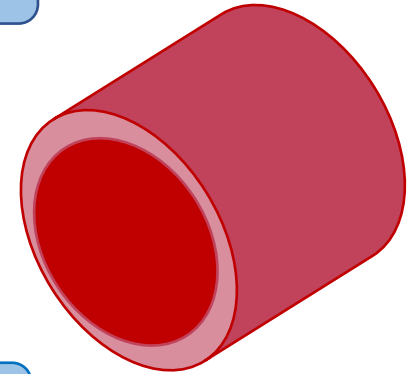
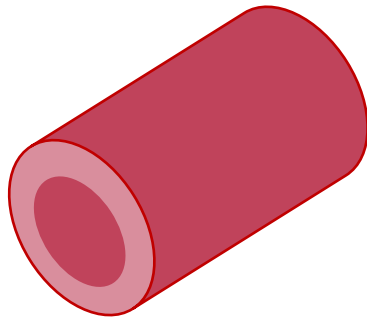
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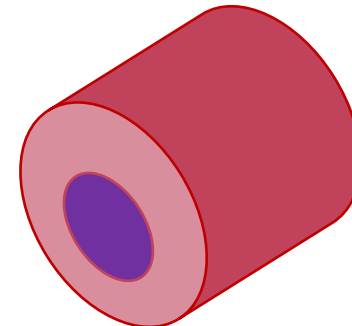
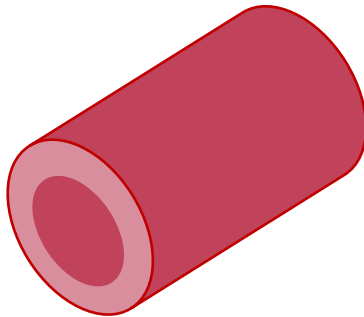


The Diabetic Placenta

HYPERGLYCEMIA



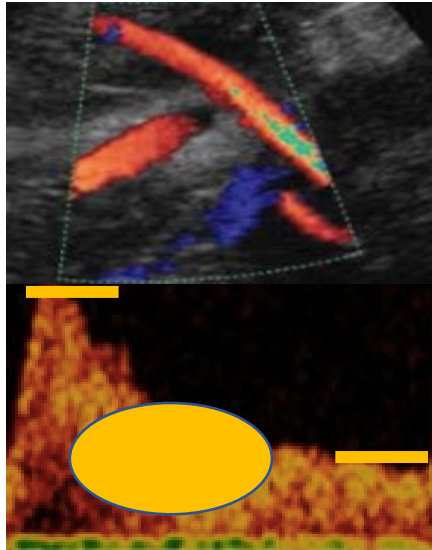
VASCULOPATHY



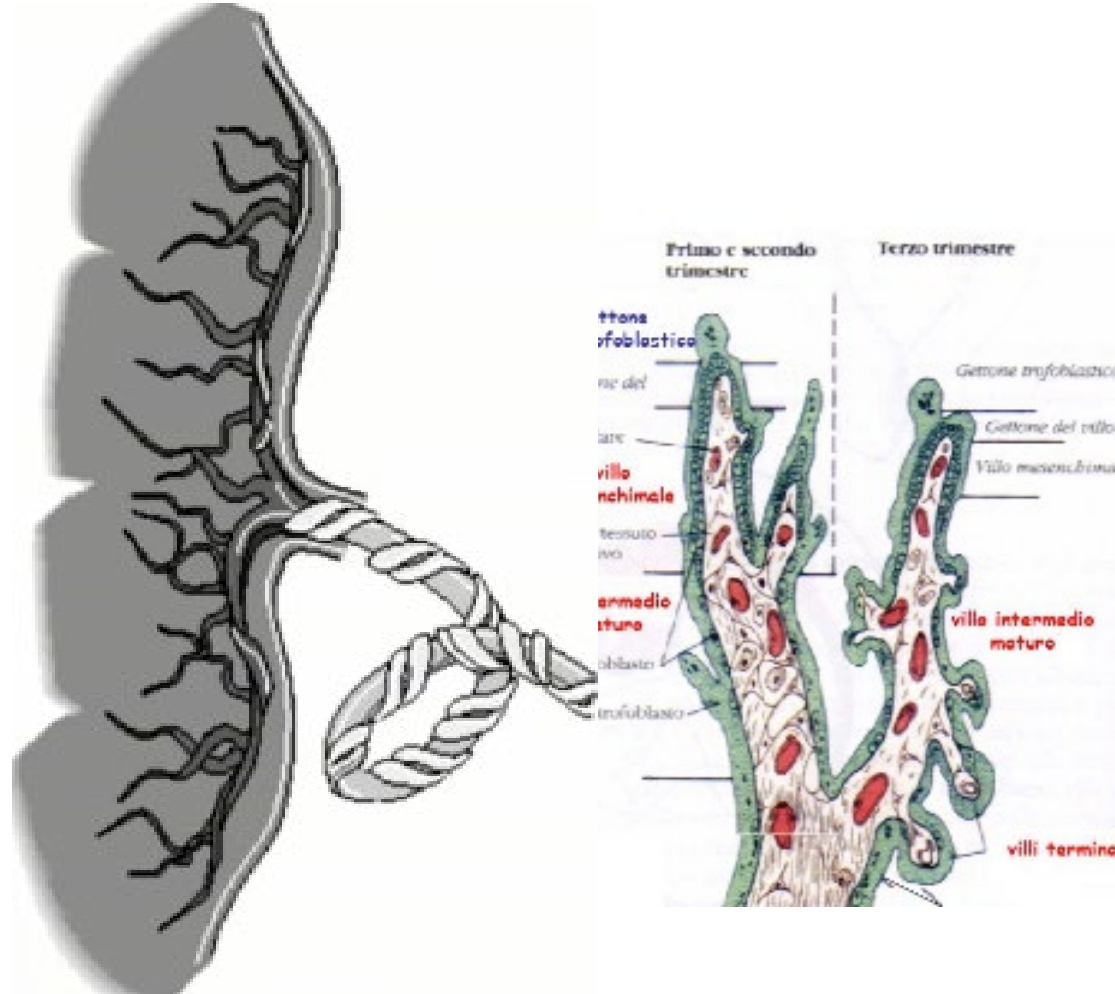
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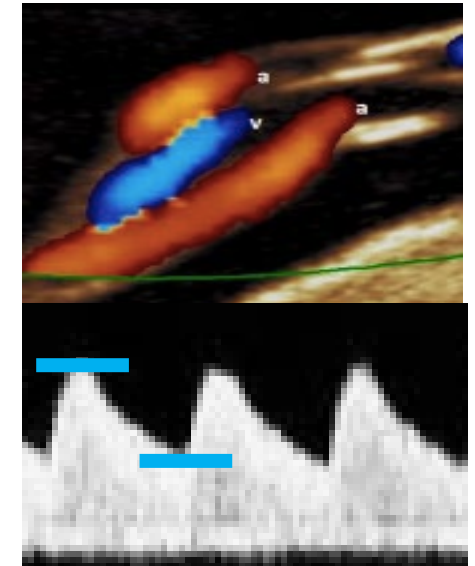
MOTHER



Spiral artery
vascular resistancy
Downstream
vascular resistance



FETUS



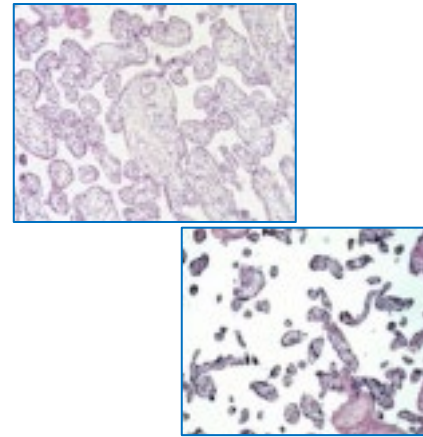
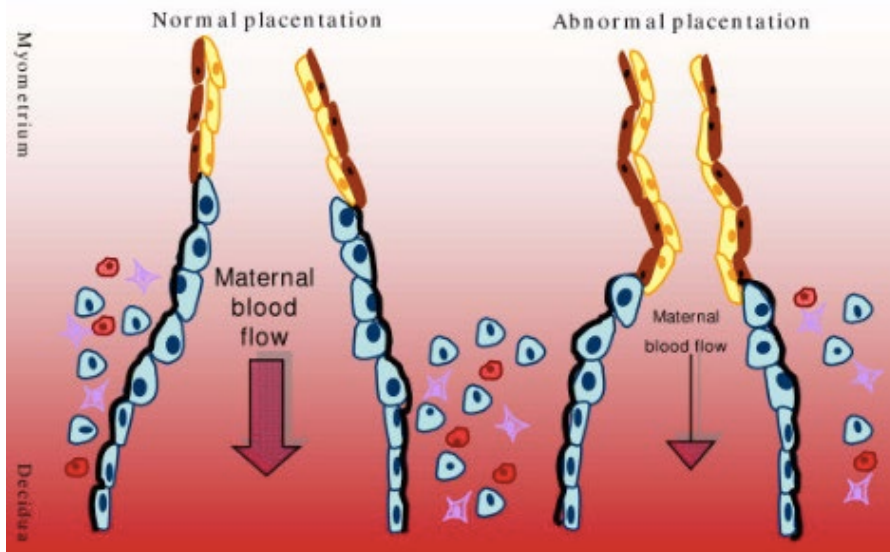
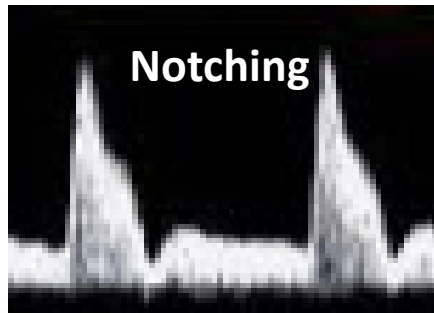
Villous
Cross-sectional area
& vascular
resistance

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VELOCIMETRIA DOPPLER

MOTHER



Abnormal villous tree
40-100% FGR

ADVERSE OUTCOMES:

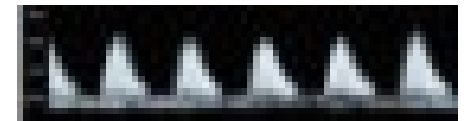
- ✓ Hypoxemia/Acidemia
- ✓ Stillbirth
- ✓ Preterm birth
- ✓ Neonatal complications
- ✓ Poor development

FETUS

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Gestational Age Specific Target

BIRTH DEFECTS

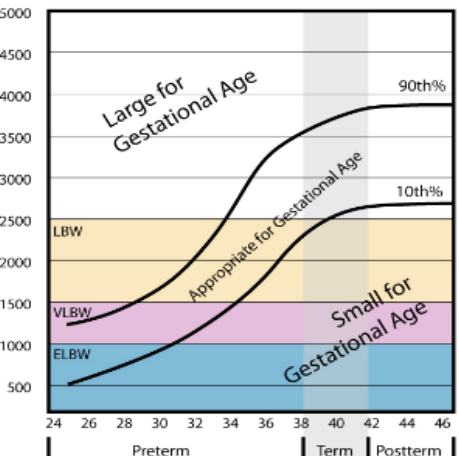


VASCULOPATHY

BIRTH DEFECTS



FETAL GROWTH



STILLBIRTH

I TRIMESTER

II TRIMESTER

III TRIMESTER

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I TRIMESTER

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BIRTH DEFECTS



VASCULOPATHY

To confirm the viability of the pregnancy and gestational age at 7 to 9 weeks.

PREVENTING PRE-ECLAMPSIA

For guidance on using antiplatelet agents to reduce the risk of pre-eclampsia in pregnant women with diabetes **[2015]**

DETECTING CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS

Offer women with diabetes an ultrasound scan at 20 weeks to detect fetal structural abnormalities, including examination of the fetal heart (4 chambers, outflow tracts and 3 vessels). **[2008, amended 2015]**

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11-14 weeks

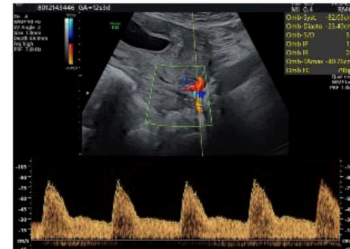
Risk assessment Risk for preeclampsia



Clinical parameters



Uterine Doppler



Biomarkers



Medical history

Chronic hypertension

☐ Yes ☐ No

Diabetes type I

☐ Yes ☐ No

Diabetes type II

☐ Yes ☐ No

Systemic lupus erythematosus

☐ Yes ☐ No

Anti-phospholipid syndrome

☐ Yes ☐ No

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Table 4 Screening for pre-eclampsia: maternal factors

Medical history

Smoking habit

History of chronic hypertension

History of diabetes mellitus: Type 1, Type 2, insulin intake

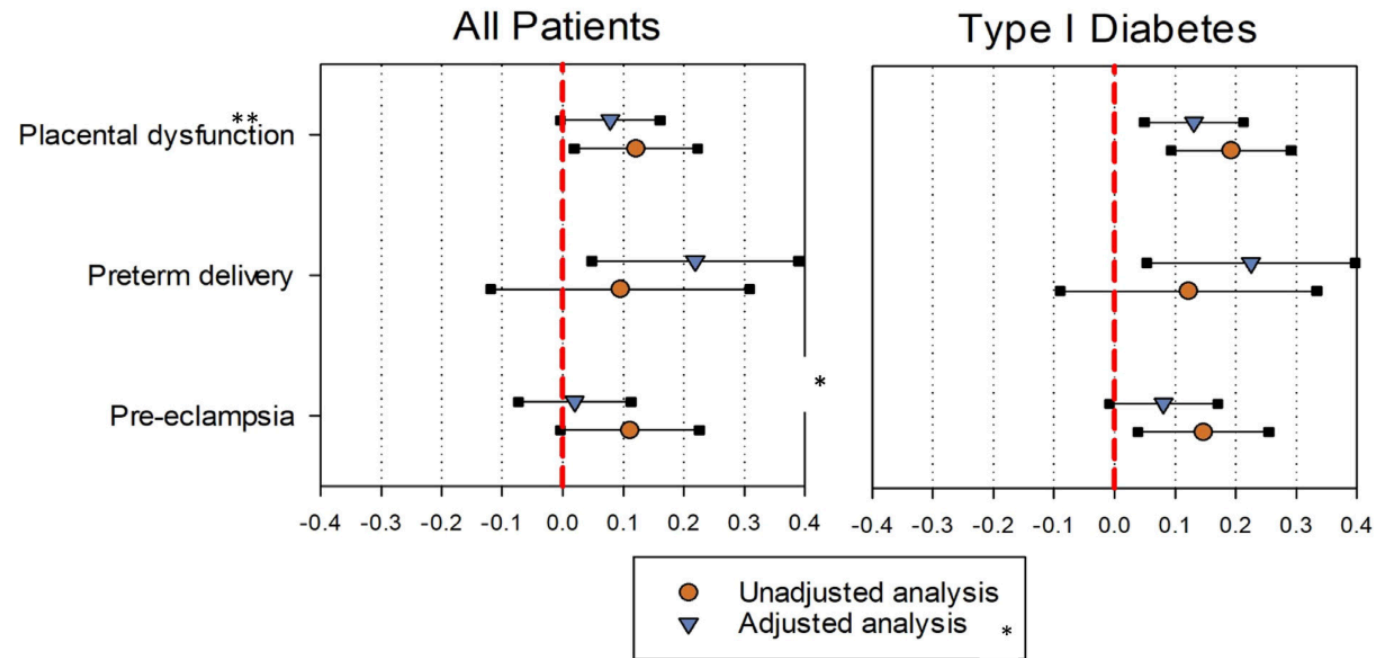
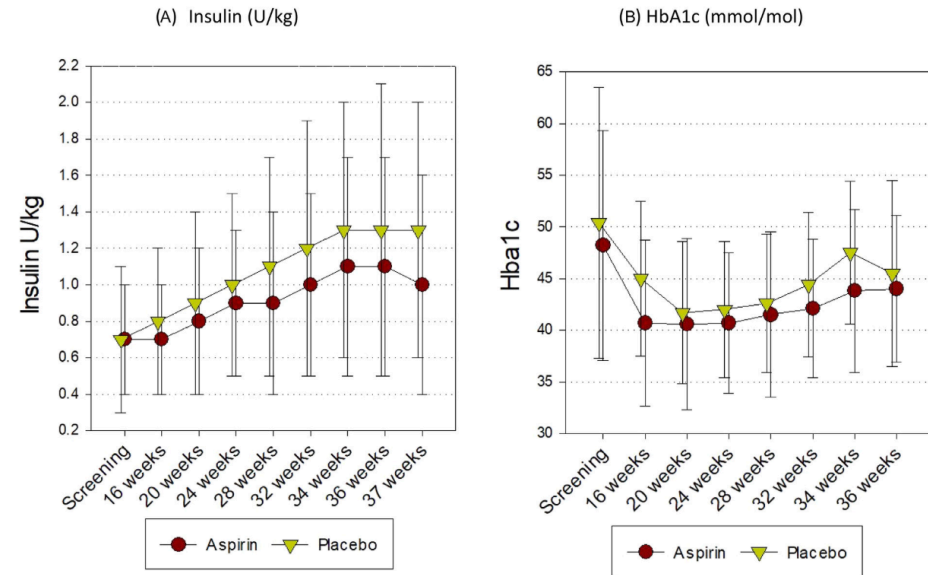
History of systemic lupus erythematosus or antiphospholipid
syndrome



The IRELAND study—investigating the role of early low-dose aspirin in diabetes mellitus: a double-blinded, placebo-controlled, randomized trial

Catherine Finnegan, PhD; Patrick Dicker, MSc; Denisa Asandei, MPhil; Mary Higgins, MD; Neil O’Gorman, MD; Mairead O’ Riordan, MRCOG; Fidelma Dunne, PhD; Geraldine Gaffney, MD; Christine Newman, MD; Fionnuala McAuliffe, FRCOG; Vineta Ciprike, MD; Elena Fernandez, MS; Fergal D. Malone, MD; Fionnuala M. Breathnach, MD

- ✓ Women with T1DM or T2DM
- ✓ 67 patients randomized to aspirin and 67 to placebo
- ✓ 150-mg daily aspirin vs. placebo
- ✓ 11 -14 weeks’ gestation until 36 weeks.



(*) Adjusted analysis: adjusted for baseline insulin use. (**) Placental dysfunction: composite outcome of any of the following: preeclampsia, preterm birth <34 weeks of gestation, fetal growth restriction <10th percentile, or stillbirth.

Finnegan. The IRELAND study. Am J Obstet Gynecol MF 2024.

Beneficial effect of aspirin on glycemic control

No reduction of the risk of adverse perinatal outcome

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11-14 weeks

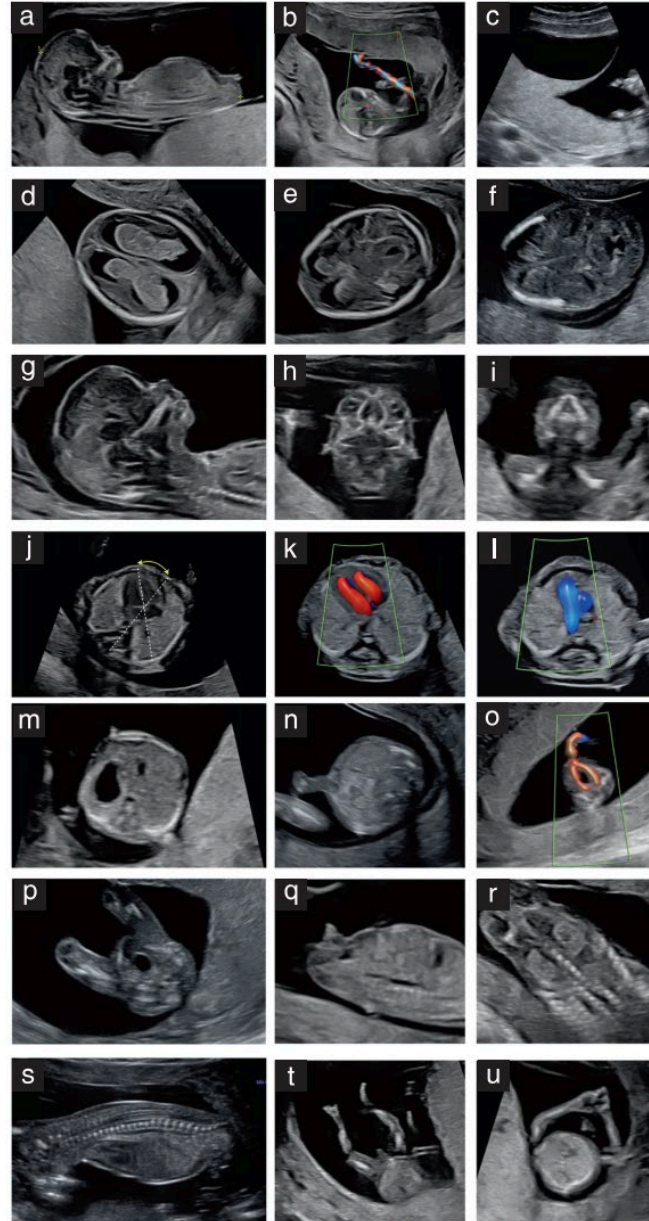


Table 1 Minimum requirements for scan at 11 + 0 to 14 + 0 weeks' gestation

Anatomical region	Minimum requirements for scan
General	Confirm singleton pregnancy
Head and brain	Axial view of head: - Calcification of cranium - Contour/shape of cranium (with no bony defects) - Two brain halves separated by interhemispheric falx - Choroid plexuses almost filling lateral ventricles in their posterior two-thirds (butterfly sign)
Neck	Sagittal view of head and neck: Confirm whether nuchal translucency thickness < 95th percentile
Heart	Axial view of heart at level of four-chamber view: Heart inside chest with regular rhythm
Abdomen	Axial view: - Stomach visible - Intact abdominal wall Axial or sagittal view: - Bladder visible and not dilated
Extremities	Visualize four limbs, each with three segments
Placenta	Ascertain normal appearance without cystic structures
Biometry	Sagittal view: - Crown-rump length and nuchal translucency thickness Axial view: - Biparietal diameter

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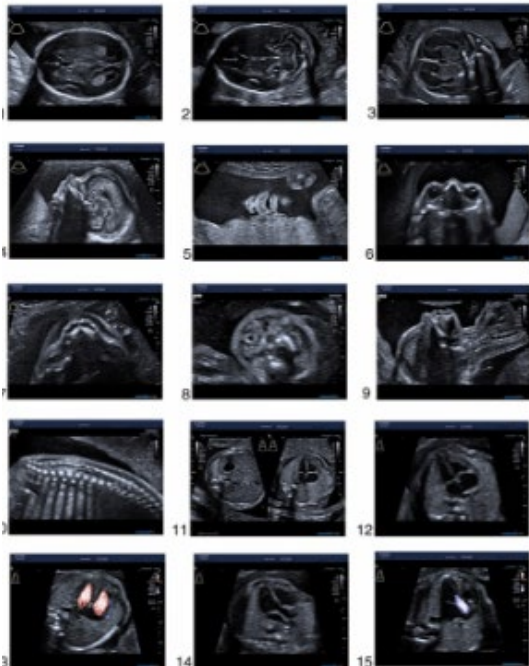
ECOGRAFIA DI RIFERIMENTO

Indicazioni all'ecografia di riferimento

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BIRTH DEFECTS



Indicazioni familiari

- Precedente gravidanza con feto affetto da malformazione congenita
- Malattie genetiche ereditarie associate a malformazioni (quando non escluse da test genetici prenatali)

Indicazioni materne

- BMI pregravidico $>40 \text{ kg/m}^2$
- Diabete (tipo 1 e 2) pregestazionale o diabete manifesto diagnosticato entro il I trimestre di gravidanza
- Infezioni materne da Rosolia, Toxoplasma, CMV, Parvovirus B19, Varicella, HIV
- Assunzione di farmaci in gravidanza (carbamazepina, levetiracetam, oxcarbazepina, fenobarbitale, fenitoina, topiramato, valproato, politerapie con anticonvulsivanti, paroxetina, fluoxetina, Propiltiouracile + metimazoloicarbimazolo)
- Esposizione a radiazioni ionizzanti (previa valutazione da parte dello specialista in fisica medica della dose assorbita dal nascituro)
- Condizioni a rischio per anemia fetale (infezione da Parvovirus B19, test di Coombs indiretto positivo a titolo elevato, feto affetto o a rischio di malattie genetiche associate ad anemia fetale)

Indicazioni fetali

- Sospetta malformazione congenita agli esame ecografici di screening
- NT $\geq 3,5 \text{ mm}$ (99°centile)
- Iposviluppo fetale precoce





II TRIMESTER

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BIRTH DEFECTS



PRENOTAZIONE DEGLI ESAMI ECOGRAFICI DI RIFERIMENTO:

U (tempo massimo di attesa 72 ore) con le seguenti indicazioni:

- a) sanguinamenti in gravidanza;
- b) sospetta anomalia strutturale fetale;
- c) altre condizioni che il medico prescrittore decide di attribuire a questa classe di priorità.

B (entro 10 giorni) con le seguenti indicazioni:

- a) sospetto ritardo di crescita fetale;
- b) sospetta macrosomia;
- c) sospetta placenta previa;
- d) condizioni che il medico prescrittore decide di attribuire a questa classe di priorità.

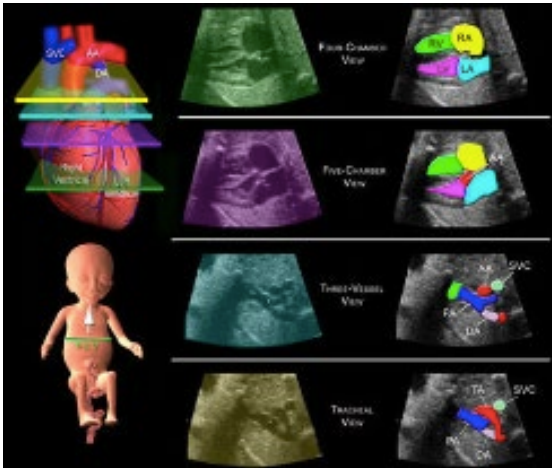




II TRIMESTER

CONGENITAL HEART DEFECTS DEFECTS

ECOCARDIOGRAFIA



- ✓ **Congenital heart disease (CHD)** is an important complication of gestational diabetes mellitus (GDM) and pregestational DM with a **4-fold increased risk**, *irrespective* of the type of antidiabetic treatment received
- ✓ The cardiac development occurs in the first trimester and is **almost completed by 6 weeks**
- ✓ Other cardiac diseases, such as hypertrophic cardiomyopathy and decreased cardiac performance due to functional abnormalities

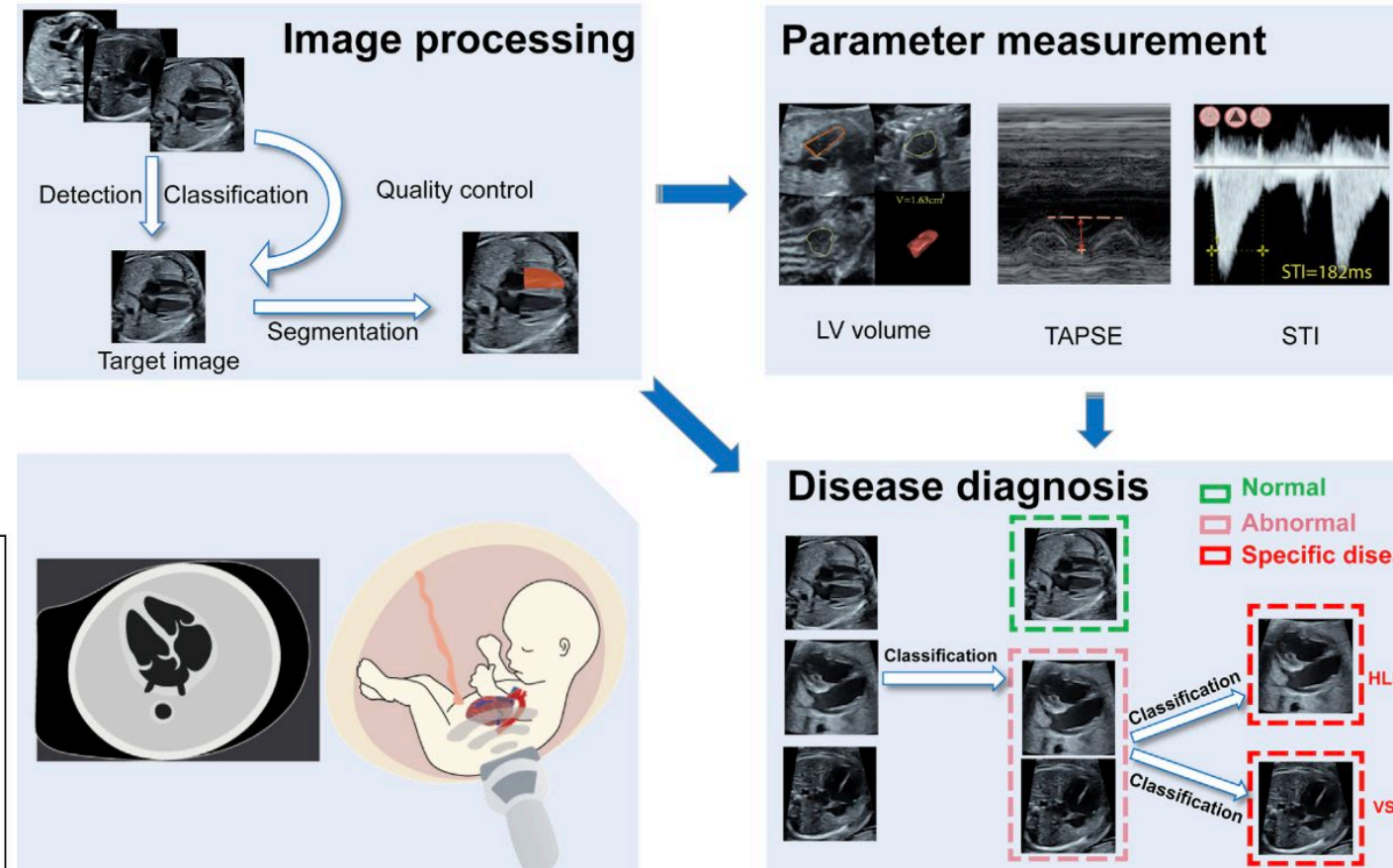
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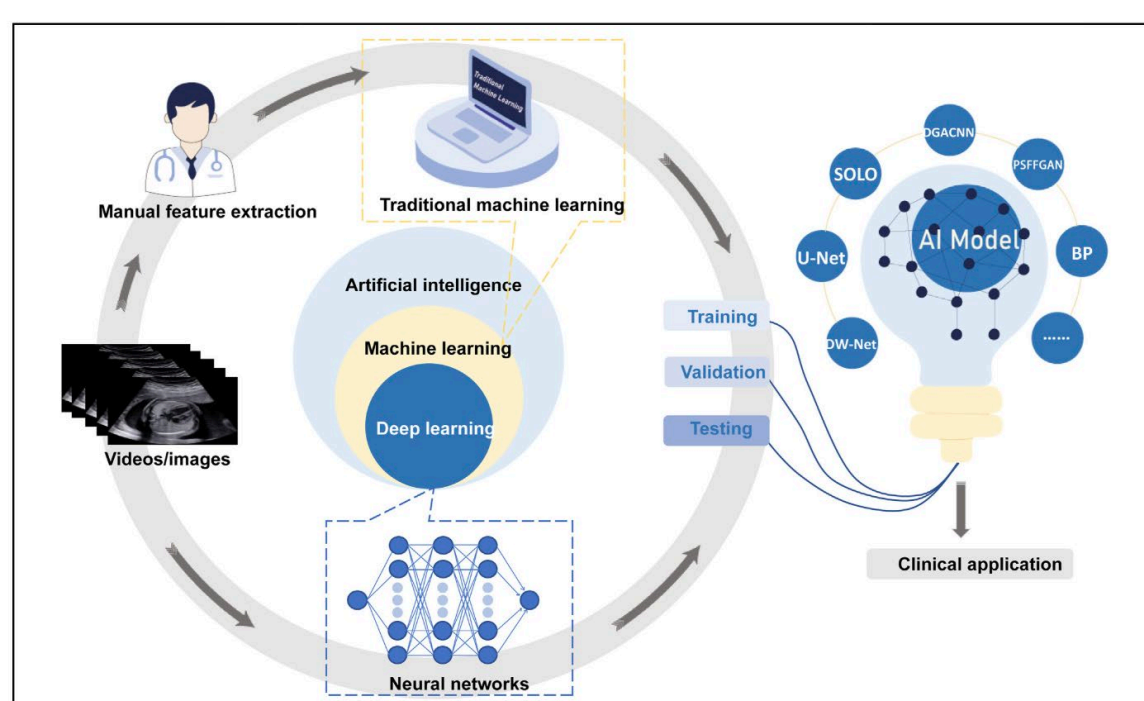
STATE-OF-THE-ART REVIEW

Advances in the Application of Artificial Intelligence in Fetal Echocardiography

Junmin Zhang, MD, Sushan Xiao, MD, Ye Zhu, MS, Zisang Zhang, MD, Haiyan Cao, MD, Mingxing Xie, MD, PhD, and Li Zhang, MD, PhD, *Wuhan, China*



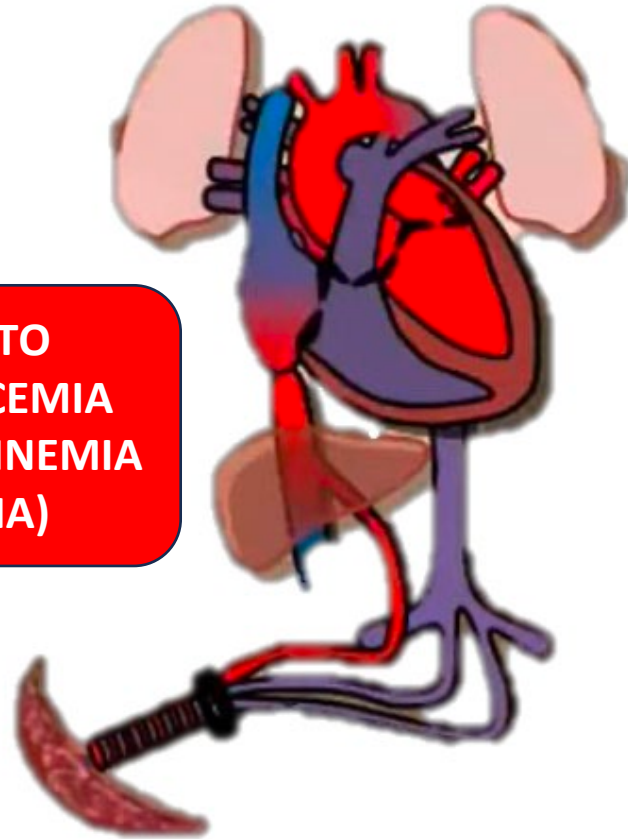
Artificial intelligence technology has great potential to empower sonographers in time-saving and accurate diagnosis and to bridge the skill gap in different regions.



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ECOCARDIOGRAFIA FUNZIONALE

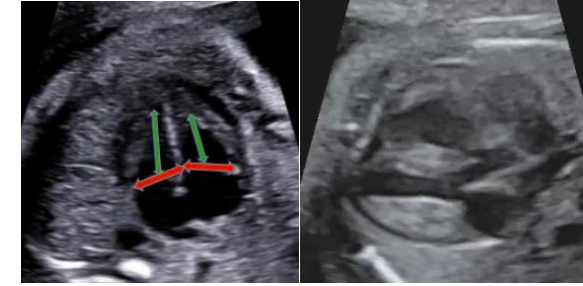


**INSULTO
(IPERGLICEMIA
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RIMODELLAMENTO

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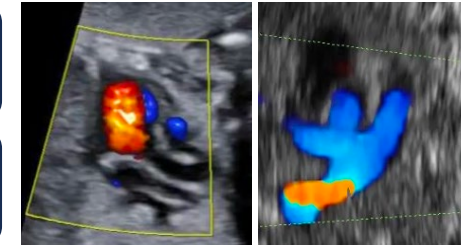
DIMENSIONE



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RIGHT CARDIAC OUTPUT

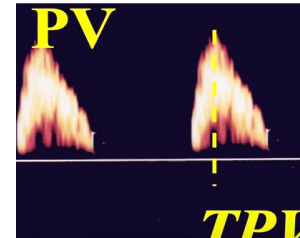
LEFT CARDIAC OUTPUT



DISFUNZIONE

SISTOLICA

DIASTOLICA



**Danno diretto/
tossicità del miocardio**

**Perdita/danno cellulare
e riduzione della contrattilità**

**Ipertrofia miocardica
compensatoria**



> [J Diabetes Complications](#). 2022 Jan;36(1):108079. doi: 10.1016/j.jdiacomp.2021.108079.
Epub 2021 Oct 21.

**At the first week of life,
at 6-weeks, and 6-months of life**

Persistent subclinical myocardial dysfunction among infants of diabetic mothers

Jyothi Samanth¹, R Padmakumar², Akhila Vasudeva³, Leslie Lewis⁴, Krishnananda Nayak⁵,
Vidya Nayak⁶

> [BJOG](#). 2021 Jan;128(2):272-279. doi: 10.1111/1471-0528.16434. Epub 2020 Aug 26.

At 12-months of life

Cardiac function in gestational diabetes mellitus: A longitudinal study from fetal life to infancy

J Aguilera¹, J Semmler¹, S Anzoategui¹, H Zhang¹, K H Nicolaidis¹, M Charakida^{1 2}

Observational Study > [Pediatr Res](#). 2023 Sep;94(3):996-1002.

doi: 10.1038/s41390-023-02566-6. Epub 2023 Mar 18.

At 2-years of life

Impaired myocardial deformation persists at 2 years in offspring of mothers with diabetes mellitus

Xander Jacquemyn^{1 2}, Shelby Kutty¹, Preeta Dhanantwari³, William J Ravekes¹,
Aparna Kulkarni⁴

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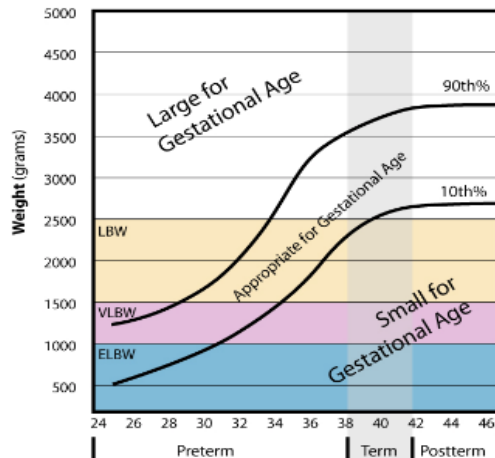
GROWTH

III TRIMESTER

Gestational Age Specific Target

MONITORING FETAL GROWTH AND WELLBEING

FETAL GROWTH



STILLBIRTH

Offer pregnant women with diabetes ultrasound monitoring of fetal growth and amniotic fluid volume **every 4 weeks from 28 to 36 weeks.** [2008]

Routine monitoring of fetal wellbeing before 38 weeks is not recommended in pregnant women with diabetes, unless there is a **risk of fetal growth restriction.** This includes methods such as fetal umbilical artery doppler recording, fetal heart rate recording and biophysical profile testing. [2008, amended 2015]

Provide an **individualised approach** to monitoring fetal growth and wellbeing for women with diabetes and a risk of fetal growth restriction (macrovascular disease or nephropathy). [2008, amended 2015]

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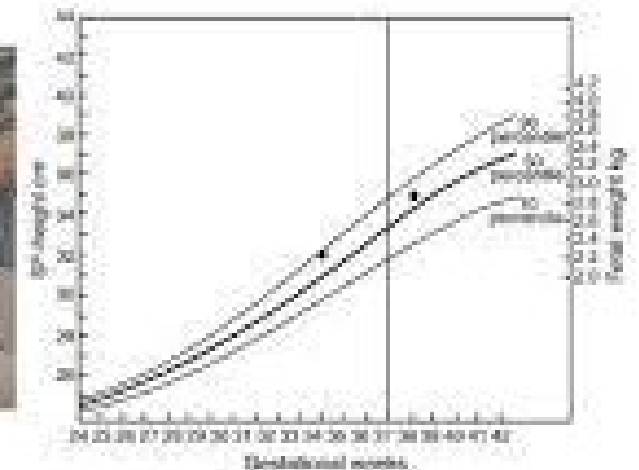
Valutazione soggettiva

- Manovre di Leopold
- Valutazione della donna



Valutazione oggettiva

- Distanza Sinfisi-Fondo (SFH)
- US - EFW





RUOLO ECOGRAFIA DIBATTUTO: DIAGNOSI PRENATALE È IMPRECISA

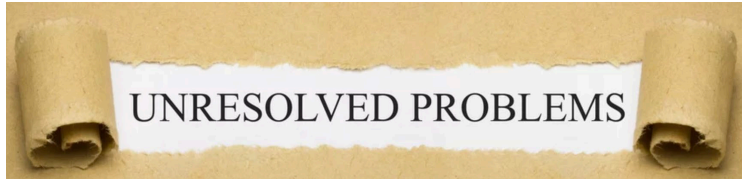
- Studi differenti / grande eterogeneità
- Differenti GA di predizione
- Numeri casi analizzati
- Intervallo tra ecografia e parto
- AC e EFW spesso utilizzati
- Formule per la stima del peso
- DR tra 12% e 75% con range FP 1-32%

«Diagnosi accurata di macrosomia eseguita solo pesando il feto alla nascita»

MONITORAGGIO ECOGRAFICO



MONITORING FETAL GROWTH



Definizione	MACROSOMIA	LARGE FOR GESTATIONAL AGE (LGA)	
	Non consenso unanime	Peso alla nascita $\geq 90^{\circ}$ percentile per epoca gestazionale	
		FETAL GROWTH RESTRICTION (FGR) Delphy Consensus, 2016	
Formule	FORMULE PER LA STIMA DEL PESO	• 4000 g → maggiori rischi in travaglio • 4500 g → predittivo di morbidità • 5000 g → indicatore di rischio di mortalità	Peso come Indicatore di Rischio
Curve	CURVE DI RIFERIMENTO		



Sonographic prediction of macrosomia in pregnancies complicated by maternal diabetes: finding the best formula

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- Retrospectivo:
- 1060 biometrie fetali entro 7 giorni dal parto 37-42w
- Hadlock’s formula (1985) (BPD, CC, AC, FL) miglior predizione
- Sensibilità tutte le formule 51.5% e specificità 92
- Distanza euclidiana (media geometrica dell’errore random e sistematico) più bassa miglior predizione

Table 1 Sonographic fetal weight estimation formulas

Formula#	Reference	Equation	
1	Hadlock et al. [23]	$=10^{1.304+0.05281(AC)+0.1938(FL)-0.004(AC)(FL)}$	AC and FL
2	Hadlock et al. [23]	$=10^{1.335-0.0034(AC)(FL)+0.0316(BPD)+0.0457(AC)+0.1623(FL)}$	AC, FL and BPD
3	Hadlock et al. [26]	$=10^{1.1134+0.05845(AC)-0.000604(AC)^2-0.007365(BPD)^2+0.000595(BPD)(AC)+0.1694(BPD)}$	AC and BPD
4	Jordaan [25]	$=10^{0.9119+0.488(HC)+0.0824(AC)-0.001599(HC)(AC)}$	AC and HC
5	Hadlock et al. [23]	$=10^{1.326-0.00326(AC)(FL)+0.0107(HC)+0.0438(AC)+0.158(FL)}$	AC, FL and HC
6	Hsieh et al. [27]	$=10^{2.1315+0.0056541(AC)(BPD)-0.00015515(BPD)(AC)^2+0.000019782(AC)^3+0.052594(BPD)}$	AC and BPD
7	Shepard et al. [24]	$=10^{-1.7492+0.166(BPD)+0.046(AC)-0.002546(AC)(BPD)}$	AC and BPD
8	Jordaan [25]	$=10^{-1.1683+0.0377(AC)+0.0950(BPD)-0.0015(BPD)(AC)}$	AC and BPD
9	Hadlock et al. [23]	$=10^{1.3596+0.0064(HC)+0.0424(AC)+0.174(FL)+0.00061(BPD)(AC)-0.00386(AC)(FL)}$	AC, FL, BPD and HC
10	Shinozuka et al. [28]	$=0.23966(AC)^2(FL)+1.6230(BPD)^3$	AC, FL and BPD

AC abdominal circumference, HC head circumference, BPD biparietal diameter, FL femur length

Ranking ^a	Number	Formula	Biometry	Euclidean distance
1	9	Hadlock et al. [23]	AC, FL, BPD and HC	6.60
2	5	Hadlock et al. [23]	AC, FL and HC	6.66
3	10	Shinozuka et al. [28]	AC, FL and BPD	6.76
4	8	Jordaan [25]	AC and BPD	7.08
5	6	Hsieh et al. [27]	AC and BPD	7.32
6	3	Hadlock et al. [26]	AC and BPD	7.37
7	4	Jordaan [25]	AC and HC	8.68
8	2	Hadlock et al. [23]	AC, FL and BPD	8.70
9	7	Shepard et al. [24]	AC and BPD	11.41
10	1	Hadlock et al. [23]	AC and FL	18.47



Fetal Growth Curves

Is There a Universal Reference?



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- 3 modern cohort studies have an advantage over historical fetal growth references because they included **diverse populations**.
- Fetuses as being **classified** below or above a cutoff point.
- It is important to know **how a growth reference performs in a local population** in relation to fetal morbidity and mortality when implementing in clinical practice.

Table 2

Fiftieth percentiles for fetal anthropometric measurements by gestational age for the 3 studies^a

Gestational Age (wk) ^b	Estimated Fetal Weight ^c (g), Fiftieth Percentiles					WHO Fetal
	NICHD White	NICHD Hispanic	NICHD Asian	NICHD Black	INTERGROWTH	
24	674	651	640	647	668	665
25	787	758	745	751	756	778
26	912	876	862	866	856	902
27	1050	1007	990	994	969	1039
28	1202	1151	1132	1134	1097	1189
29	1369	1311	1287	1289	1239	1350
30	1552	1486	1456	1459	1396	1523
31	1749	1676	1637	1642	1568	1707
32	1960	1879	1830	1837	1755	1901
33	2180	2090	2031	2040	1954	2103
34	2408	2307	2238	2247	2162	2312
35	2637	2521	2448	2452	2378	2527
36	2864	2731	2656	2654	2594	2745
37	3086	2935	2862	2854	2806	2966
38	3299	3134	3065	3054	3006	3186
39	3502	3330	3263	3256	3186	3403
40	3693	3525	3455	3466	3338	3617



Studio METRICS (MultcEnTRic Italian Charts Study)



Early FGR:
GA < 32 weeks, in absence of congenital anomalies

AC/EFW < 3rd centile or UA-AEDF

Or

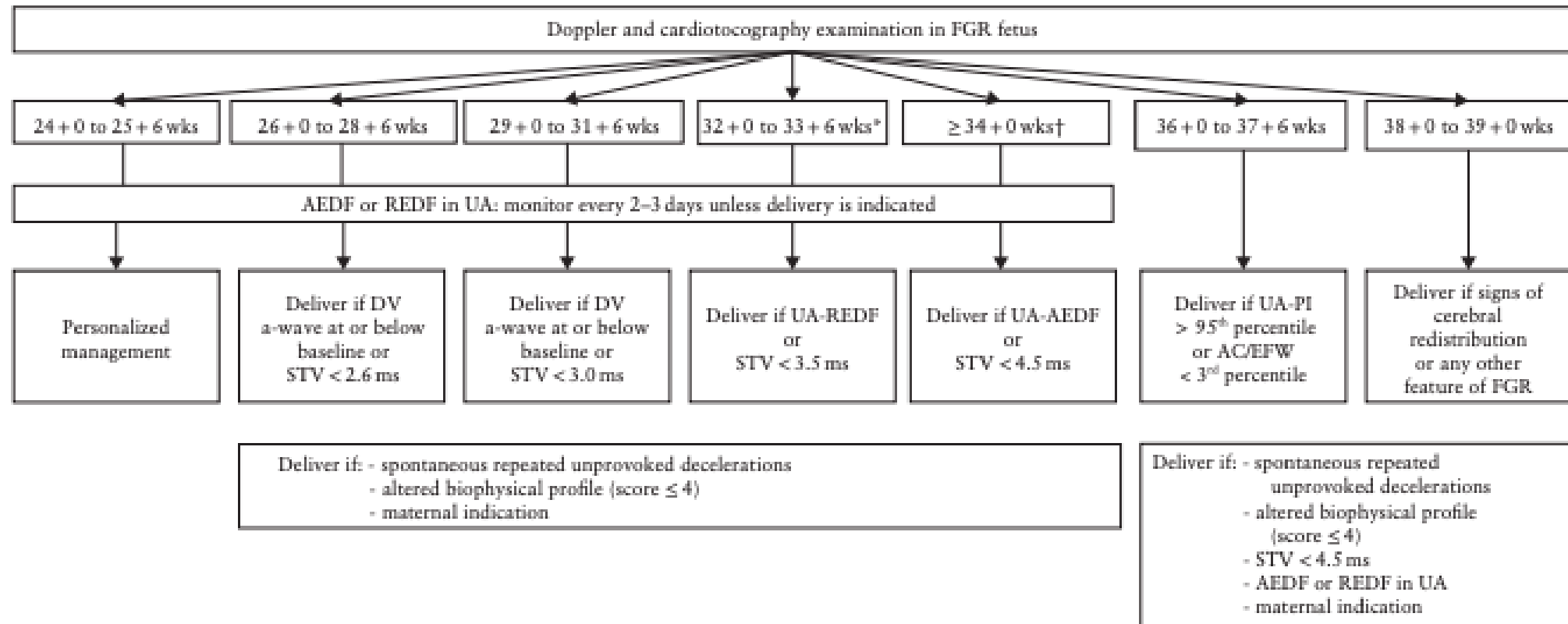
1. AC/EFW < 10th centile combined with
2. UtA-PI > 95th centile and/or
3. UA-PI > 95th centile

Late FGR:
GA ≥ 32 weeks, in absence of congenital anomalies

AC/EFW < 3rd centile

Or at least two out of three of the following

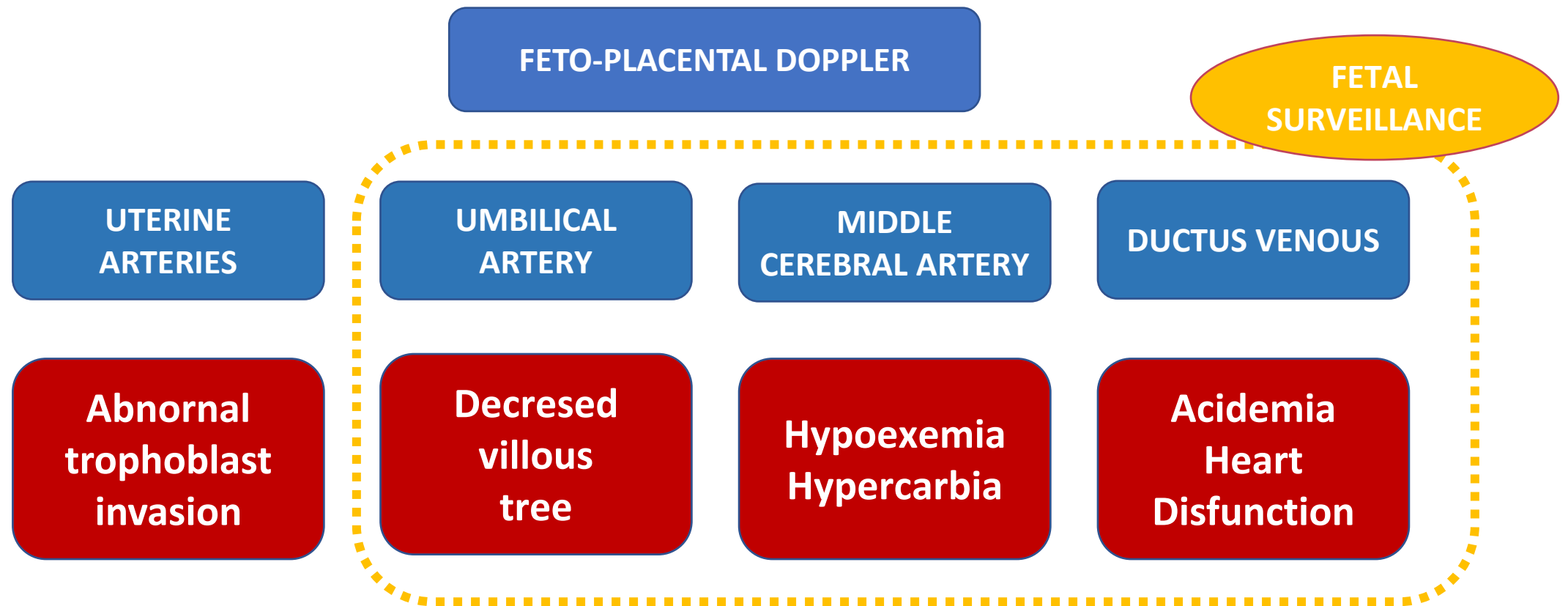
1. AC/EFW < 10th centile
2. AC/EFW crossing centiles > 2 quartiles on growth centiles*
3. CPR < 5th centile or UA-PI > 95th centile



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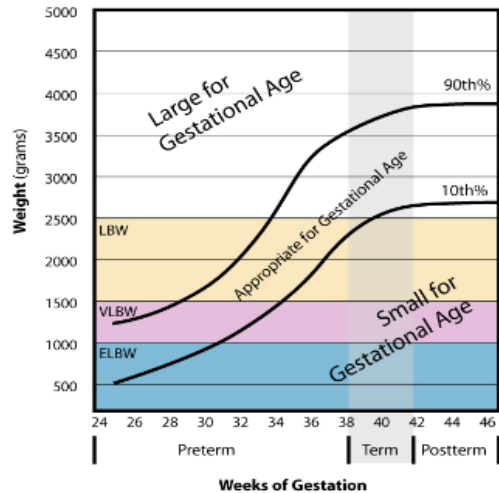


**Main vessels utilized
to document placental vasculopathy**



LARGE FOR
GESTATIONAL AGE

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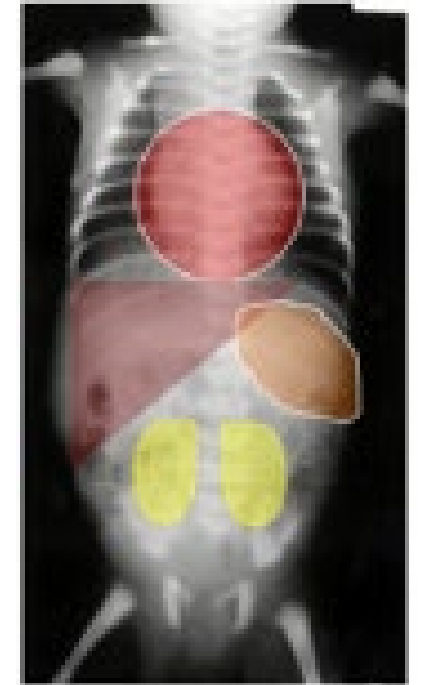


FETAL SIGNS OF DISEASE ACCELERATION DUE TO POOR MATERNAL GLYCEMIC CONTROL

- ✓ AC growth $>14\text{mm/week}$
- ✓ AC $>75^{\text{th}}$
- ✓ EFW $>90^{\text{th}}$
- ✓ EFW $>4000\text{g}$
- ✓ Polyhydramnios
- ✓ Organomegaly of individual organ



INCREASING FETAL SURVEILLANCE AND CONSIDERING DELIVERY



III TRIMESTER FETOPATHY

Large shoulders
Large abdomen
Organomegaly
High fat content
Polyuria

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Table 4. Antepartum fetal surveillance tests in women with pregestational diabetes.

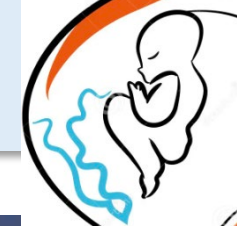
	ACOG	NICE	FIGO	Other
Non-Stress Test	Weekly evaluation starting at 36 weeks of gestation.	Weekly at 38 weeks of gestation. Could start before in risk of fetal growth restriction	According to local protocol.	SOGC: Weekly evaluation starting at 36 weeks of gestation.
Biophysical Profile	Starting at 32 weeks of gestation. Follow-up twice a week in case of abnormalities.	Recommended after 32 weeks of pregnancy and can be performed earlier in cases of high risk of stillbirth	According to local protocol.	ADA: Starting at 32 weeks of gestation. Weekly follow-up.
Contraction Stress Test	Starting between 32 and 34 weeks of gestation. Controversial use.	Not discussed.	Not discussed.	Not discussed.
Ultrasound and Amniotic Fluid Analysis	Starting at 32 weeks of gestation. Growth ultrasound between 34 and 36 weeks of gestation. Amniotic fluid assessment starting at 32 weeks.	Starting at 28 weeks of gestation, followed by evaluations at 32, 36 and 38–39 weeks of gestation.	Performing ultrasound every two to four weeks until resolution of pregnancy.	SOGC: Starting with fetal ultrasound at 36 weeks of gestation, followed by weekly follow-up.
Fetal Doppler Ultrasound	Non-discussed. Used in high-risk pregnancies.	Used in pregnancies complicated with fetal growth restriction.	Non-discussed. Used in high-risk pregnancies.	Non-discussed. Used in high-risk pregnancies.

From 36-38 weeks

From 32 weeks

From 28-39 weeks

ACOG—American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists; NICE—National Institute for Health and Care Excellence; FIGO—International Federation of Gynecology and Obstetrics; SOGC—Society of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists of Canada; ADA—American Diabetes Association; high-risk pregnancies—poor glycemic control, poor compliance, vascular disease, nephropathy, previous stillbirth.



RACCOMANDAZIONI SULLA CARDIOTOCOGRAFIA ANTE PARTUM

FONDAZIONE CONFALONIERI RAGONESE
SU MANDATO SIGO, AOGOI, AGUI

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OTTOBRE 2021

Quindi, l'NST non è indicato genericamente in tutti i casi di gravidanza a rischio, bensì solo in quelli ove vi è un rischio effettivo e documentato di ipossia cronica:

- **diabete pregestazionale e diabete gestazionale non compensato**
- ipertensione preesistente alla gravidanza, ipertensione gestazionale, preeclampsia
- malattie renali croniche materne
- lupus eritematoso sistemico e connettiviti con autoanticorpi anti SS-A e SS-B
- sindrome da anticorpi antifosfolipidi
- emoglobinopatie ed altre anemie materne con emoglobina <8 g/dl
- ipossia materna severa
- ipertiroidismo materno scompensato
- cardiopatie cianogene materne
- oligoidramnios
- restrizione della crescita, definita secondo i criteri del Delphi Consensus recepiti dalle linee guida ISUOG
- alloimmunizzazione materno-fetale
- gravidanza gemellare con crescita discordante dei gemelli
- gravidanza ≥ 41 settimane + 0 giorni
- diminuita percezione dei movimenti fetali da parte della gestante; quest'ultima indicazione è occasionale, poiché in questo caso è richiesta l'esecuzione dell'NST, ma se il tracciato è reattivo ed il liquido amniotico, valutato tramite misura della tasca massima, è presente in quantità regolare (tasca massima >2 cm) non vi è indicazione alla ripetizione dell'esame.



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OTTOBRE 2021

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DG in trattamento con dieta, ben compensato, adeguato accrescimento fetale e senza altre complicanze

DG in terapia insulinica con compenso

DG senza adeguato compenso glicemico

Diabete pregestazionale in scarso compenso glicemico

Diabete pregestazionale con buon compenso glicemico e senza vasculopatia, disturbi ipertensivi, alterazioni della crescita fetale o del liquido amniotico

Diabete e restrizione della crescita fetale

QUANDO

Basso rischio ostetrico

Da 38-39 settimane

Da 32-36 settimane, 1 volta a settimana

Da 32 settimane, 2 volte a settimana

Da 36 settimane

Inizio precoce e va personalizzato

MONITORAGGIO CLINICO-ECOGRAFICO

Prima visita

- *Stile di vita**

(dieta e attività fisica)

- * Valutazione benessere materno**

(Ecocardiogramma, fundus oculi, diario pressorio)

- * Valutazione benessere fetale**

(Eco ostetrica+Velocimetria Doppler)

DIAGNOSI DI
GRAVIDANZ
A



MONITORAGGIO CLINICO-ECOGRAFICO

Visita di Controllo

BUON COMPENSO

***Controlli ogni 3-4 settimane**

*(Eco ostetrica +Velocimetria
Doppler)*

***CTG da 36 settimane**

Visita di Controllo

SCARSO COMPENSO

***Verifica schema dietetico**

(valutazione della dietista)

***Verifica schema terapeutico**

(valutazione del diabetologo)

***Controlli ogni 1-2 settimane**

*(Eco ostetrica +Velocimetria
Doppler)*

***CTG da 32 settimane a cadenza
personalizzata**



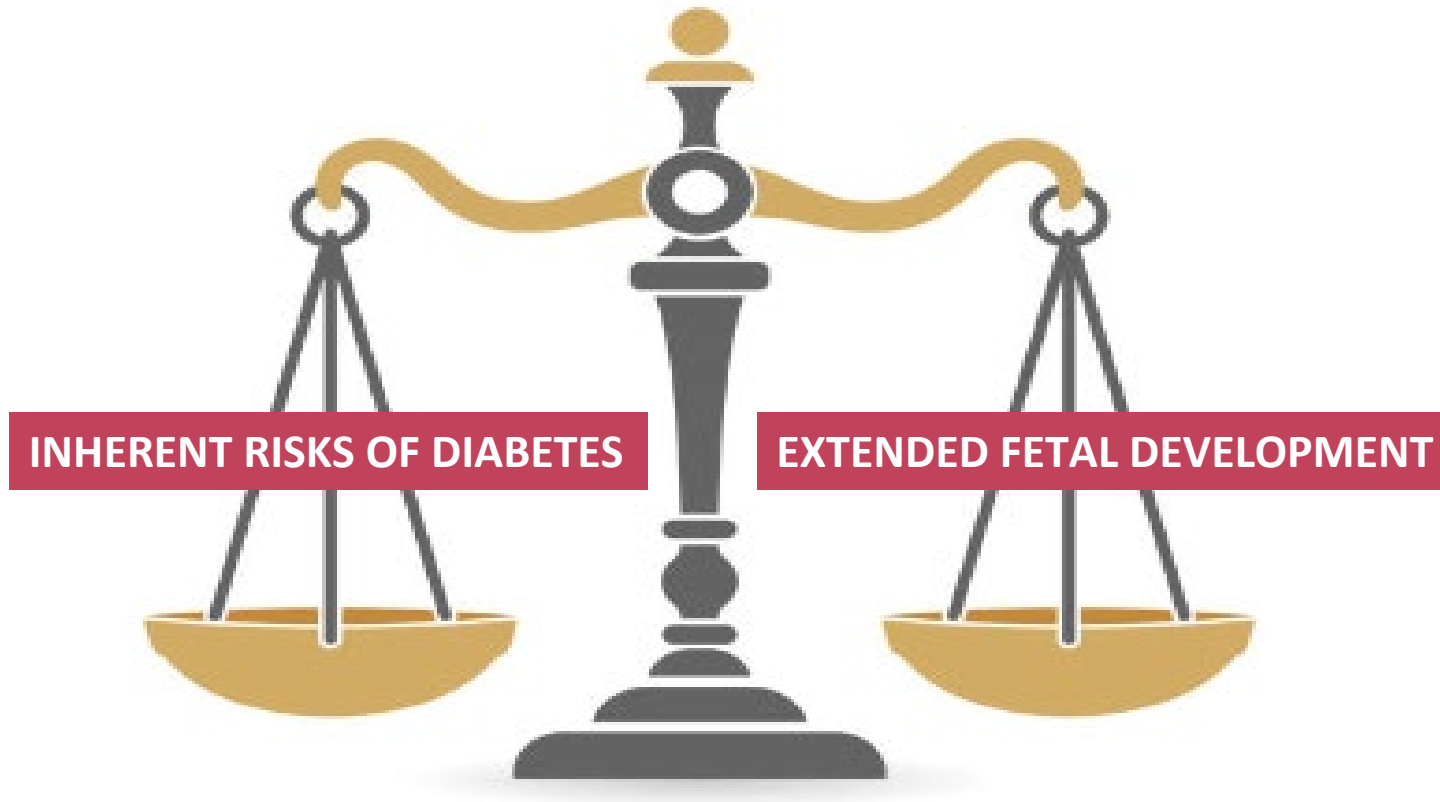
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OPTIMAL TIMING FOR DELIVERY → DELICATE BALANCE



ADVERSE FETAL OUTCOMES

- Stillbirth
- Prematurity

ADVERSE OBSTETRIC OUTCOMES

- Higher rates of cesarean sections
- Higher rates of instrumental delivery
- Haemorrhage
- Perineal tears III-IV grade
- Maternal satisfaction

ADVERSE NEONATAL OUTCOMES

- Low APGAR scores
- LGA newborns
- Respiratory distress syndrome
- Neonatal jaundice
- Admission to the intensive care unit
- Seizures
- Hypoxic-ischemic encephalopathy

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Necessity of addressing
specific decision-making considerations
related to delivery timing in pregestational diabetic women



- Constant monitoring of blood glucose levels (compliance)
- Assessing fetal growth (FGR/LGA)
- Assessing placental function
- Comorbidities (hypertensive disorders, intrahepatic cholestasis...)

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> J Perinat Med. 2023 Sep 7;52(1):30-40. doi: 10.1515/jpm-2023-0183. Print 2024 Jan 29.

Maternal and neonatal complications in pregnancies with and without pre-gestational diabetes mellitus

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Ranjit Akolekar^{2 3}

UK, from 2010 to 2022
53,649 singleton pregnancies,
509 (1.0 %) with pre-existing DM
49,122 (99.0 %) without diabetes

Fetal defects

All defects

CNS defects

CVS defects

Fetal death

Miscarriage

Stillbirth

Preterm delivery

<32 weeks

<37 weeks

Fetal growth

SGA<10th

LGA>90th

Amniotic fluid abnormalities

Polyhydramnios-mild

Polyhydramnios-moderate/severe

Obstetric complications

Preeclampsia

Gestational hypertension

OR (95% CI)

1.84 (1.21-2.80)

3.42 (1.39-8.41)

4.41 (2.50-7.78)

0.69 (0.26-1.84)

4.65 (2.31-9.35)

4.31 (2.65-7.01)

7.98 (6.52-9.77)

0.57 (0.39-0.82)

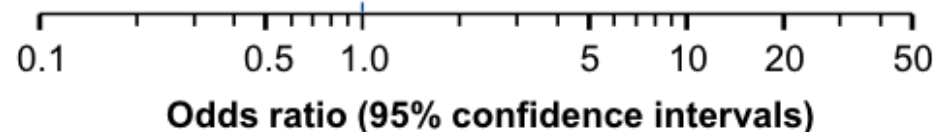
4.78 (3.87-5.90)

3.99 (2.97-5.36)

6.75 (3.15-14.47)

2.97 (2.09-4.21)

1.22 (0.65-2.30)



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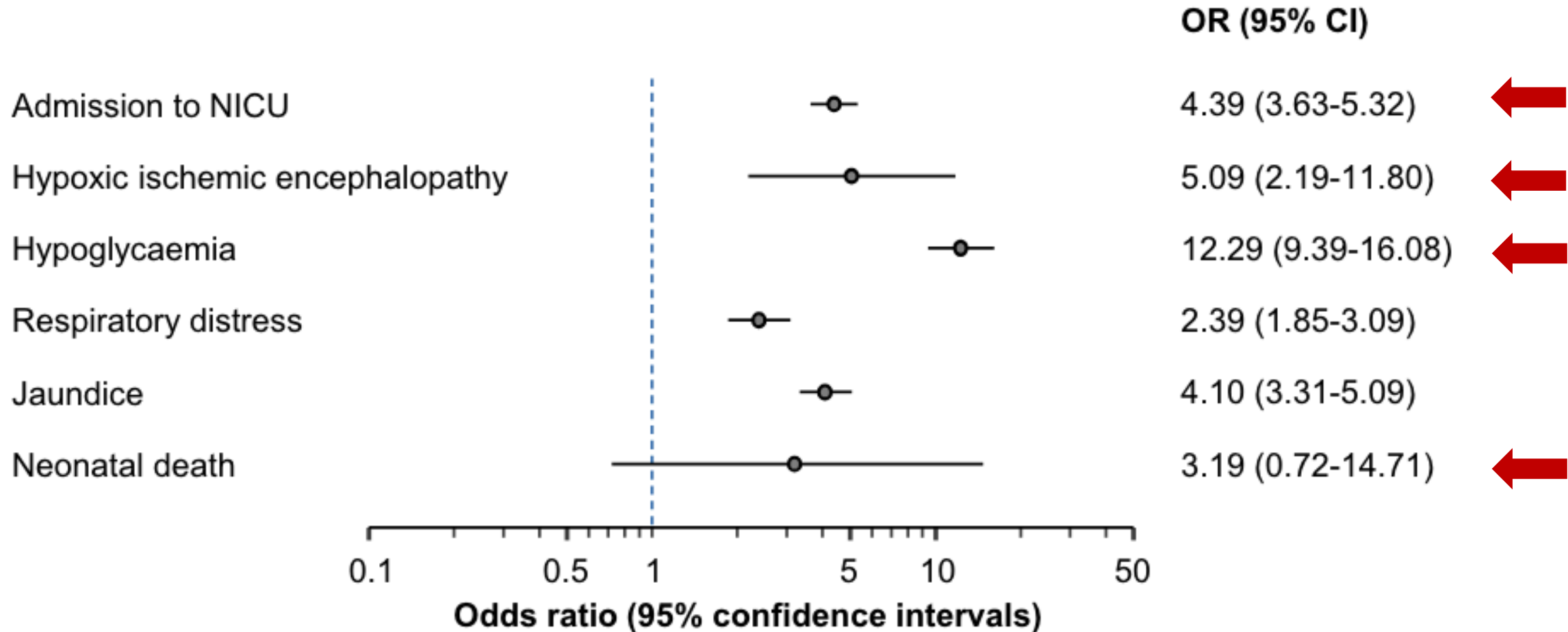


Table 4: Univariate and multivariate logistic regression analysis demonstrating the association of type 1 diabetes mellitus with intrapartum pregnancy complications.

Intrapartum adverse outcomes	Univariate analysis		Multivariate analysis	
	OR (95 % CI)	p-Value	OR (95 % CI)	p-Value
Mode of delivery				
Unassisted vaginal	0.18 (0.13–0.24)	<0.001	0.21 (0.15–0.30)	<0.001
Operative vaginal	0.66 (0.38–1.13)	0.129	–	–
Elective caesarean delivery	4.16 (3.18–5.44)	<0.001	3.28 (2.36–4.58)	<0.001
Emergency caesarean delivery	2.69 (2.06–3.51)	<0.001	1.74 (1.24–2.43)	<0.001
Failure to progress	1.12 (0.66–1.89)	0.673	–	–
Fetal distress	2.96 (2.17–4.04)	<0.001	3.18 (2.27–4.47)	<0.001
Postpartum haemorrhage				
Moderate	2.33 (1.64–3.32)	<0.001	1.12 (0.78–1.61)	0.543
Severe	1.17 (0.43–3.15)	0.758	–	–
Obstetric anal sphincter injury	1.07 (0.40–2.88)	0.896	–	–
Shoulder dystocia				
All	0.72 (0.18–2.92)	0.649	–	–
Severe	2.30 (0.32–16.60)	0.408	–	–

OR, odds ratio; CI, confidence interval.

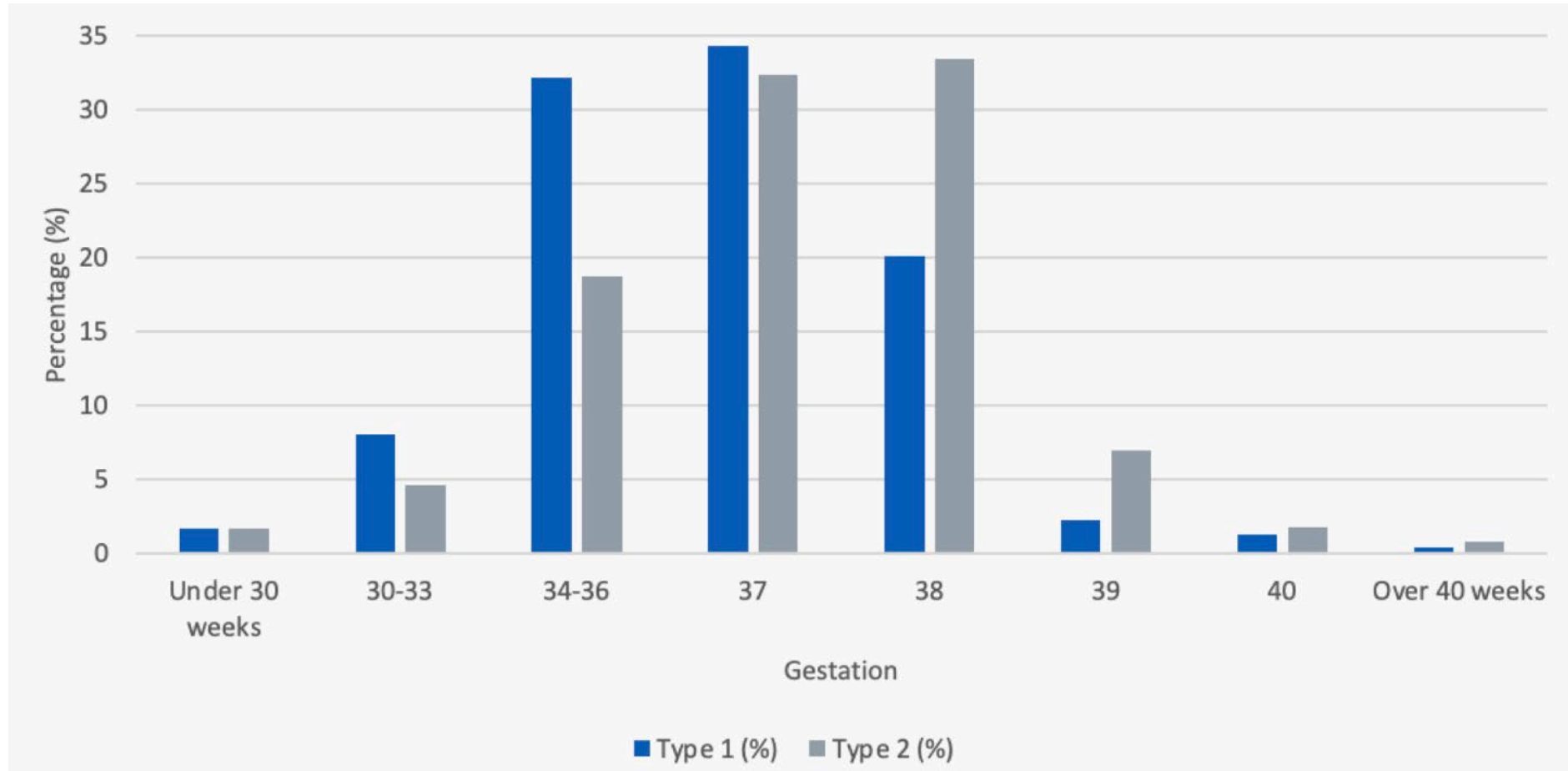
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Percentage of live and stillbirth by type (T1DM vs. T2DM) and gestation at delivery in 2021 and 2022



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Original Research

Risk of Stillbirth in Pregnancies Complicated by Diabetes, Stratified by Fetal Growth

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Table 6. Relative Risk of Stillbirth Comparing Fetuses With Pathologic Fetal Growth in Pregnancies Complicated by Gestational and Pregestational Diabetes Mellitus

GA (wk)	GDM-Related LGA	GDM-Related SGA	PDM-Related AGA	PDM-Related LGA	PDM-Related SGA
34	2.0 (1.4–2.9)	4.7 (3.3–6.7)	7.2 (5.4–9.7)	9.1 (6.8–12.8)	15.6 (9.3–26.1)
35	2.2 (1.6–3.0)	3.7 (2.6–5.2)	6.0 (4.6–7.9)	14.8 (11.4–19.3)	19.2 (12.6–29.2)
36	3.6 (2.9–4.4)	2.7 (2.0–3.8)	4.4 (3.4–5.7)	12.9 (10.3–16.31)	17.0 (11.7–24.7)
37	4.4 (3.5–5.5)	3.5 (2.6–4.8)	5.4 (4.2–7.0)	21.8 (17.4–27.2)	13.5 (8.5–21.2)
38	5.4 (4.4–6.6)	4.0 (3.0–5.4)	5.7 (4.4–7.3)	21.3 (16.8–27.0)	14.8 (9.5–22.9)
39	3.6 (2.8–4.8)	2.8 (1.9–4.1)	3.2 (2.2–4.7)	16.99 (12.2–23.7)	9.7 (5.1–18.4)

GA, gestational age; GDM, gestational diabetes; LGA, large for gestational age; SGA, small for gestational age; PDM, pregestational diabetes; AGA, appropriate for gestational age.

Data are relative risk (95% CI) unless otherwise specified. Referent: gestational diabetes-related, growth appropriate for gestational age.

Pregnancies complicated by both GDM and pregestational diabetes affected by pathologic fetal growth have an increased risk of stillbirth with advancing gestational age.

This risk is significantly higher with pregestational diabetes, especially pregestational diabetes with LGA fetuses.

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NICE 2020	ADIPS 2020	SOGC 2019	ACOG 2018
Type 1 or type 2 diabetes and no other complications: 37-38+6 wks < 37 weeks for women who have metabolic or other maternal or fetal complications	By the end of 38 completed weeks gestation, depending on the presence of fetal macrosomia, glycaemic levels and any other complicating factors.	38-40 wks gestation depending on their glycemic control and other comorbidity factors	Without vascular complications and with well controlled blood glucose levels, deliver at 39 0/7- 39 6/7 wks With vascular complications or poorly controlled blood glucose: 36 0/7 -38 6/7 wks; in rare cases, even earlier

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ACOG 2018

Without vascular complications and with well controlled blood glucose levels, deliver at **39 0/7 - 39 6/7 wks**

With vascular complications or poorly controlled blood glucose: **36 0/7 - 38 6/7 wks**; in rare cases, even earlier

Induzione del travaglio/TCE

BUON COMPENSO

***39 settimane**

SCARSO COMPENSO

***da 36 settimane**

No controindicazione a travaglio di prova (TOLAC)



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ASST Santi Paolo e Carlo

Take home message

- ✓ Approccio multidisciplinare in corso di gravidanza (*triade: ginecologo, diabetologo, dietista*)
- ✓ Ruolo dello screening per la preeclampsia
- ✓ Ecografia di riferimento (*con ecocardiografia*)
- ✓ Valutazione della crescita fetale (*LGA vs. FGR*)
- ✓ Timing parto (*36 vs 39 settimane*)

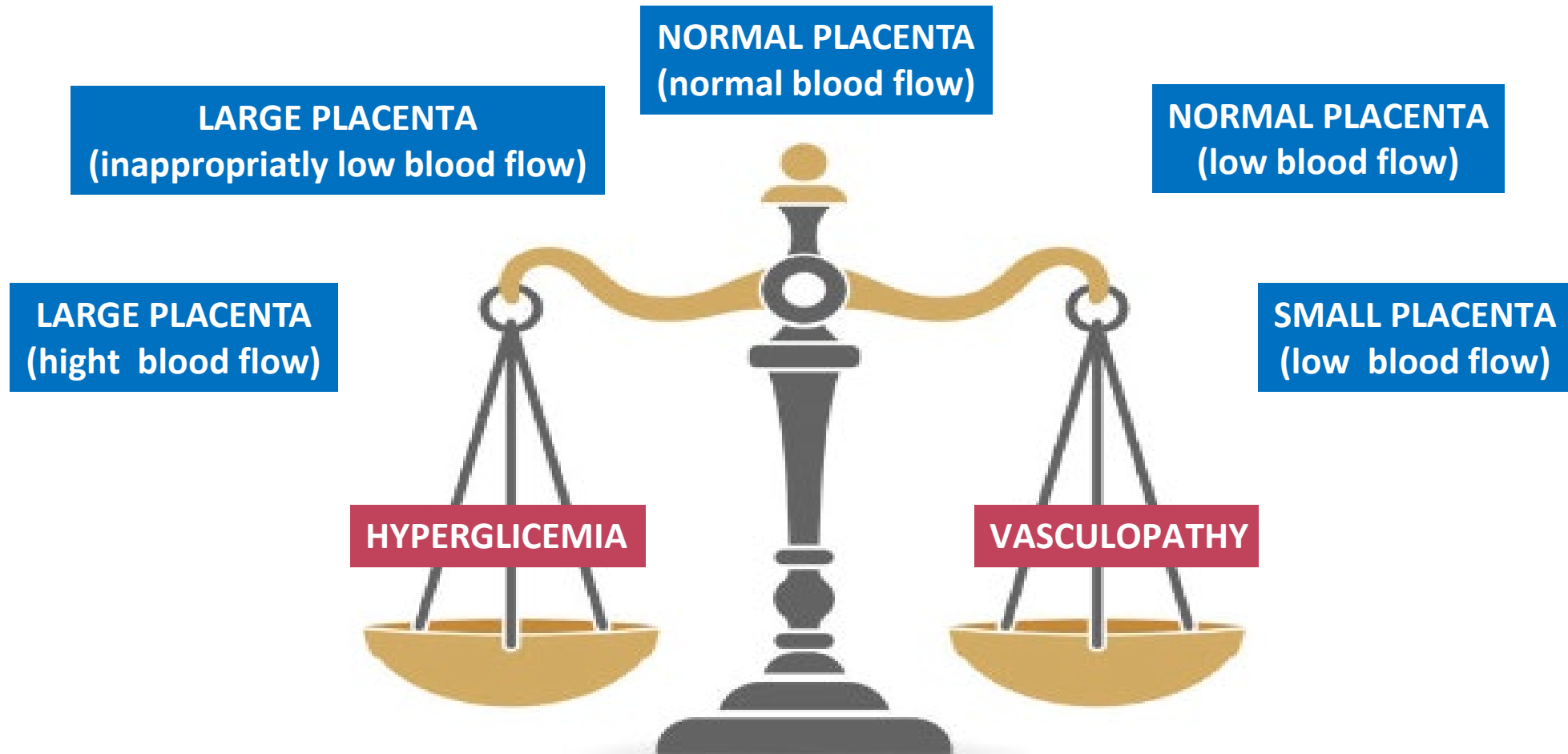
Grazie per l'attenzione!



MONITORAGGIO ECOGRAFICO



Challenges in Diabetic Placenta



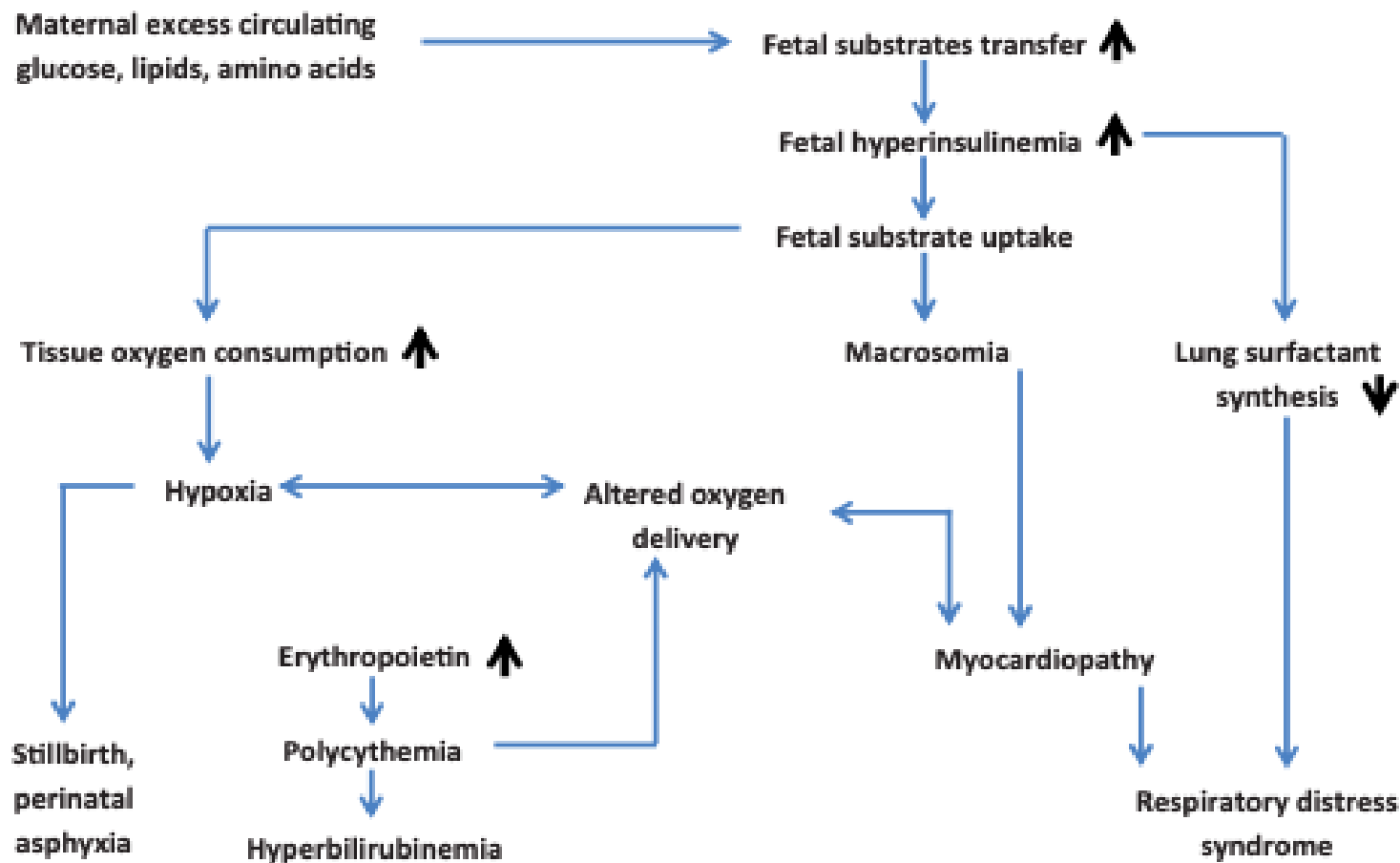
TIMING DEL PARTO



Conclusions: The maternal and neonatal complications in pregnancies with pre-existing DM are significantly increased compared to those without DM despite a decade of intensive multidisciplinary antenatal care. Further research is required to investigate strategies and interventions to prevent morbidity and mortality in pregnancies with pre-gestational DM.

Strategies:

- ✓ Improving education
- ✓ Pre-conception planning
- ✓ Improving glycemic control prior to embarking on the pregnancy
- ✓ Administration of low-dose Aspirin
- ✓ Use CGM/flash monitoring

PREGESTATIONAL
DIABETES

CONGENITAL DEFECTS
(heart, skeleton, CNS)
Incidence 6-12%